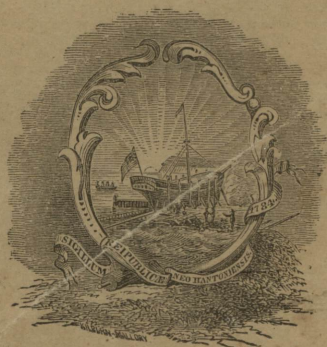
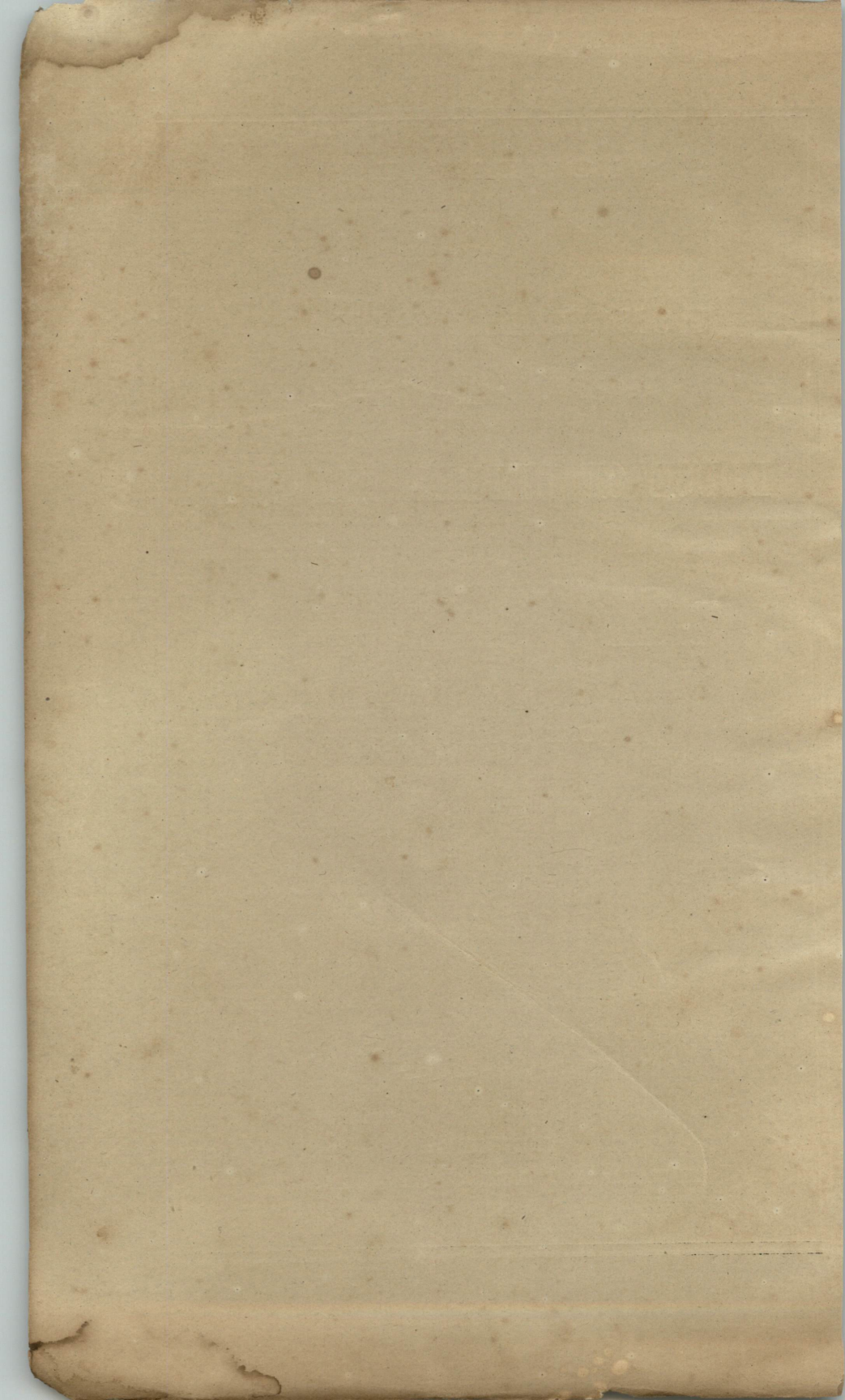


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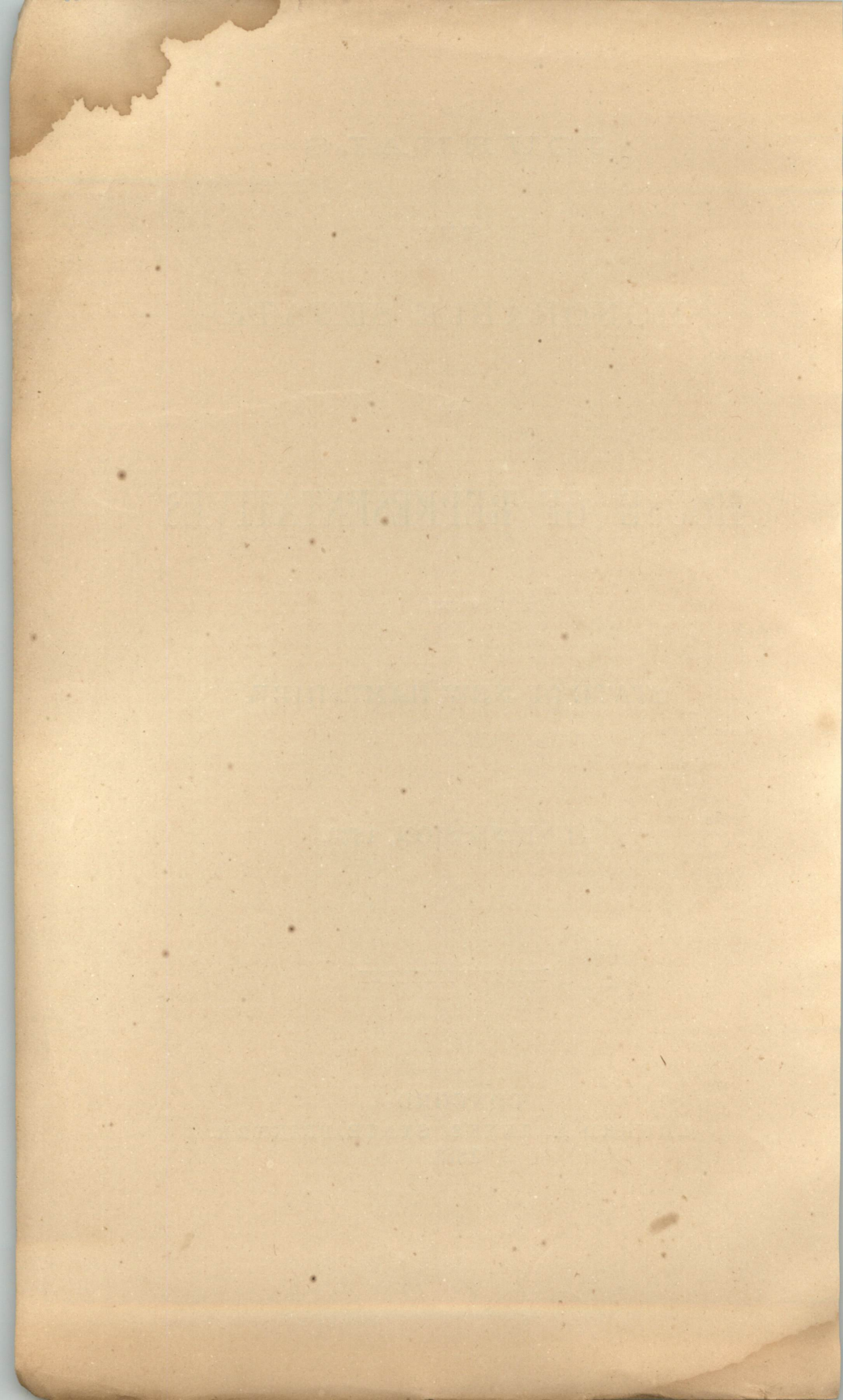




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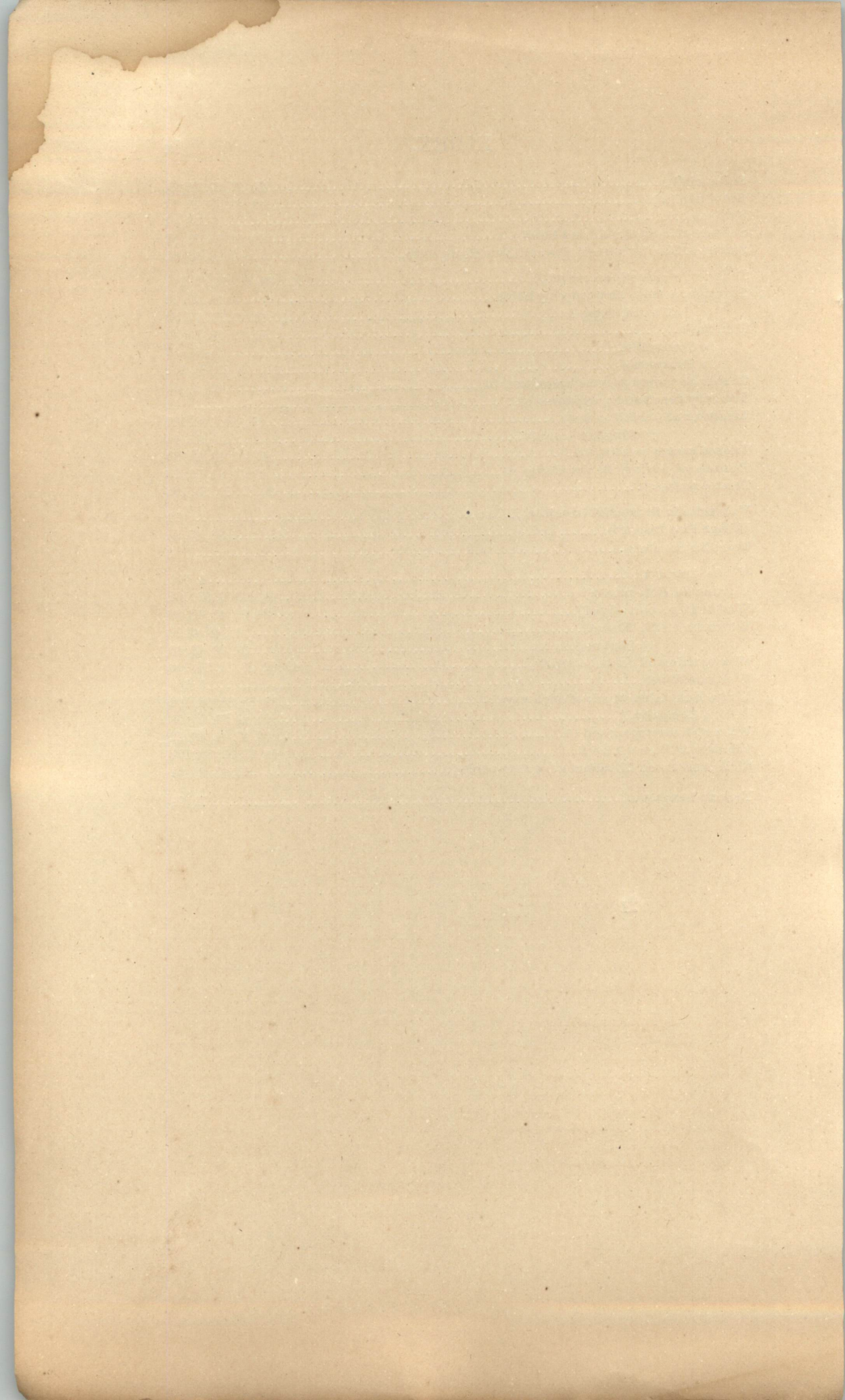
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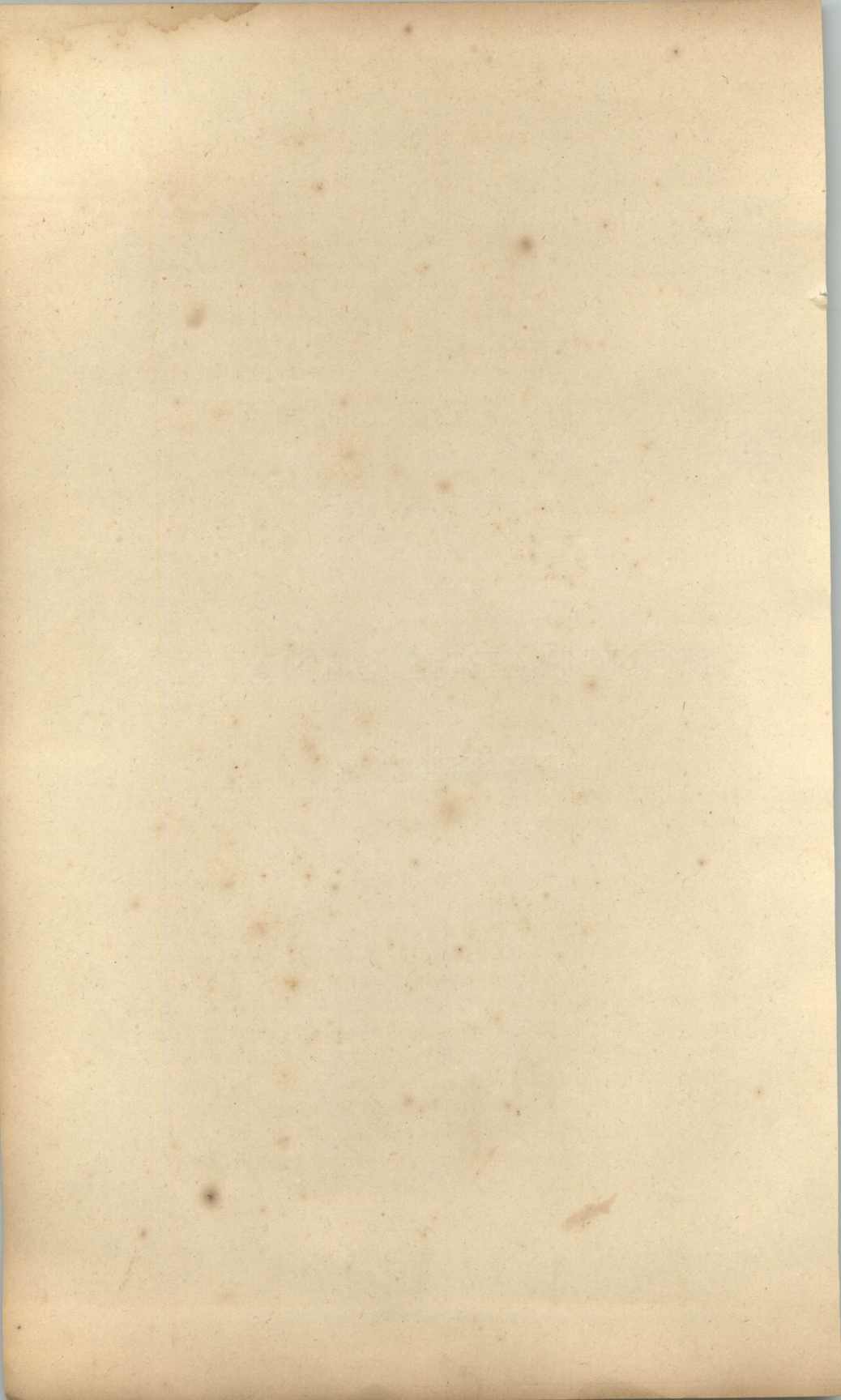


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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 4th, 1873.

On the first Wednesday of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, being the day prescribed by the constitution for the legislature of New Hampshire to assemble, the following persons, elected senators, assembled in the capitol, in the city of Concord, in said state, and His Excellency the Governor, attended by the Honorable Council, having come into the Senate chamber, thereupon they took and subscribed the oaths of office, and were duly qualified as senators, agreeably to the provisions of the constitution; namely,

From District No. 1—Hon. Warren Brown.

"	"	2—	
"	"	3—	" George Foster.
"	"	4—	" David A. Warde.
"	"	5—	" Edwin Wallace.
"	"	6—	
"	"	7—	" Charles H. Burns.
"	"	8—	" William H. Gove.
"	"	9—	" Henry Abbott.
"	"	10—	" Henry A. Hitchcock.
"	"	11—	" Warren F. Daniell.
"	"	12—	" Eleazer B. Parker.



His Excellency the Governor and the Honorable Council then withdrew.

The Senate was called to order by Luther S. Morrill, clerk of the Senate of last year.

The clerk stated that the first business before the Senate was to select a temporary presiding officer.

On motion of Mr. Brown, of No. 1, Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, was chosen temporary presiding officer.

The clerk appointed Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, and Mr. Parker, of No. 12, to conduct the temporary presiding officer to the chair.

The temporary presiding officer having taken the chair, the Senate proceeded to the choice of president, by ballot.

The result of the ballot was as follows :

Whole number of ballots cast, . . . . .	10
Necessary for a choice, . . . . .	6
William H. Gove had . . . . .	3
David A. Warde had . . . . .	7

David A. Warde, having a majority of all the ballots cast, was declared elected president.

Mr. Brown, of No. 1, and Mr. Gove, of No. 8, were appointed by the temporary presiding officer to conduct the president to the chair.

The president having taken the chair, addressed the Senate as follows :

SENATORS : In assuming the duties of the chair, I do so, relying upon your indulgence and cordial support in discharge of its duties. It shall be my constant effort to discharge faithfully and impartially its important trusts. This body, though not large, is an important part of the legislature of the state, and all matters presented here should be considered with the utmost care. No one should act upon any matter presented here without a full and careful examination of its merits. The committee having any matter under consideration should explain to the Senate their decision, and their reasons therefor, to the end that justice may be done to all, and injustice to no one. There is danger of too much special legislation. Much of the



business of the legislature could be saved by more general laws, similar to that of joint stock companies, &c.

Permit me to express the hope that in the short time we shall probably spend here, nothing will occur to mar our pleasure, and that in future years we may look back to it with feelings of satisfaction.

On motion of Mr. Foster, of No. 3, the Senate proceeded to the choice of clerk, by ballot, with the following result :

Whole number of ballots cast, . . . . .	10
Necessary for a choice, . . . . .	6
William M. Chase had . . . . .	3
Luther S. Morrill had . . . . .	7

and Luther S. Morrill, having a majority of all the ballots cast, was declared elected clerk.

Luther S. Morrill thereupon appeared, signified his acceptance of the office of clerk, and was duly sworn to the faithful discharge of the duties thereof.

On motion of Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, the Senate proceeded to the choice of assistant clerk, with the following result :

Whole number of votes cast, . . . . .	10
Necessary for a choice, . . . . .	6
William M. Thayer had . . . . .	3
Tyler Westgate had . . . . .	7

and Tyler Westgate, having a majority of all the votes cast, was accordingly declared elected assistant clerk.

Tyler Westgate thereupon appeared, signified his acceptance of the office to which he had been elected, and was duly sworn to the faithful discharge of the duties thereof.

On motion of Mr. Burns, of No. 7, the Senate proceeded to the choice of doorkeeper, with the following result :

Whole number of ballots cast, . . . . .	10
Necessary for a choice, . . . . .	6
James Chesley had . . . . .	3
Zelotus Stevens had . . . . .	7

and Zelotus Stevens, having a majority of all the ballots cast, was accordingly declared elected doorkeeper.

Zelotus Stevens thereupon appeared, signified his acceptance



of the office to which he had been elected, and was duly sworn to the faithful discharge of the duties thereof.

The following resolution, presented by Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, was adopted :

*Resolved*, That the House of Representatives be informed that the members of the Senate have assembled, are qualified, and that the Senate is organized by the choice of Hon. David A. Warde, as president, Luther S. Morrill, as clerk, and Tyler Westgate, as assistant clerk, and are ready to proceed with the business of the session.

On motion of Mr. Brown, of No. 1, the Senate adjourned to three o'clock this afternoon.

#### AFTERNOON.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives :

*Mr. President :*

The House of Representatives having assembled, have chosen Hon. James W. Emery, speaker; Samuel C. Clark, clerk; Charles C. Danforth, assistant clerk; Charles H. Roberts, sergeant-at-arms; and are now ready to proceed with the business of the session.

Mr. Brown, of No. 1, offered the following resolution, which was adopted :

*Resolved*, That the secretary of state be requested to furnish the Senate the official returns from the several senatorial districts of the state.

The secretary of state appeared, and presented the returns of the votes for senators from the various senatorial districts, as returned to his office.

Mr. Burns, of No. 7, presented the following resolution, which was adopted :

*Resolved*, That the return of votes in the several senatorial districts be referred to a select committee of two, with instructions to examine and count the same, and report to the Senate whether any vacancies exist, and if so, in what senatorial districts.



And the president appointed Messrs. Burns, of No. 7, and Gove, of No. 8, as such committee.

Mr. Abbott, of No. 9, presented the following resolution, which was adopted:

*Resolved*, That the rules of the Senate for the last session be adopted for the rules of the present session, until otherwise ordered.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives:

*Mr. President:*

The House of Representatives have appointed Messrs. Jenks of Concord, Kent of Portsmouth, Whitehouse of Rochester, Brown of Ossipee, Coffran of Northfield, Haynes of Gilford, Richardson of Manchester, Giffin of Keene, Converse of Newport, Sinclair of Littleton, on the part of the House, with such as the Senate may join, to wait upon His Excellency the Governor, and inform him that a quorum of both branches of the legislature, having assembled and completed their organization, are ready to receive any communication he may be pleased to make.

The question being stated,

Will the Senate concur?

It was decided in the affirmative, and the Senate joined Messrs. Foster, of No. 3, and Daniell, of No. 11.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives:

*Mr. President:*

The House of Representatives are now ready to meet the Honorable Senate in convention, for the purpose of proceeding in the elections, agreeably to the provisions of the constitution.

On motion of Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, the Senate met the House in convention.

(See House proceedings.)

On reassembling, Mr. Daniell, of No. 11, from the joint special committee to wait upon the governor, made the following report:

The joint special committee to inform His Excellency the



Governor that both branches of the legislature have convened and are fully organized, and that they are ready to receive any communication he may be pleased to make, report that they have attended to the duty assigned them, and that His Excellency informs them that he will meet the Senate and House of Representatives in convention, at twelve o'clock, noon, on Thursday, June 5th, 1873, and make a communication to the legislature.

Which report was accepted.

On motion of Mr. Brown, of No. 1, the Senate adjourned to ten o'clock to-morrow morning.

### THURSDAY, JUNE 5th, 1873.

The Senate met at ten o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Foster, of No. 3, the rules were suspended, and the reading of the journal of yesterday was dispensed with.

Mr. Burns, of No. 7, from the select committee to whom was referred the returns of the votes for senators in the several senatorial districts, having attended to their duties, and having examined the returns made to the secretary of state, as well as the records in the office of said secretary, submitted the following report, which was accepted:

#### DISTRICT No. 1.

Whole number of votes,	.	.	.	.	.	4,482
Necessary to a choice,	.	.	.	.	.	2,242
Nathan H. Harvey had	.	.	.	.	.	1
Alonzo F. Craig had	.	.	.	.	.	74
Lafayette Hall had	.	.	.	.	.	2,065
Warren Brown had	.	.	.	.	.	2,342

and is elected.

#### DISTRICT No. 2.

Whole number of votes,	.	.	.	.	.	5,515
Necessary to a choice,	.	.	.	.	.	2,758
John W. Noyes had	.	.	.	.	.	1
Samuel Campbell had	.	.	.	.	.	1
Matthew H. Taylor had	.	.	.	.	.	4



Alonzo F. Craig had . . . . .	2
Warren Richardson had . . . . .	1
William J. Campbell had . . . . .	1
Edwin Wallace had . . . . .	1
John J. Bell had . . . . .	1
James Priest had . . . . .	79
Henry E. Eastman had . . . . .	177
Lorenzo D. Fowle had . . . . .	146
Winfield S. Meserve had . . . . .	65
James Ayer had . . . . .	2,584
Charles Sanborn had . . . . .	2,452

No person having the necessary number, there is no choice.  
The two highest candidates are James Ayer and Charles Sanborn.

## DISTRICT No. 3.

Whole number of votes, . . . . .	4,696
Necessary to a choice, . . . . .	2,349
George W. Riddle had . . . . .	1
Eben Ferren had . . . . .	18
Freeman Parker had . . . . .	1
Ezra W. Bartlett had . . . . .	42
George B. Chandler had . . . . .	2,076
George Foster had . . . . .	2,558

and is elected.

## DISTRICT No. 4.

Whole number of votes, . . . . .	6,066
Necessary to a choice, . . . . .	3,034
Josiah C. Eastman had . . . . .	1
Samuel Upton had . . . . .	1
Ezra W. Bartlett had . . . . .	1
Joseph Smith had . . . . .	45
Edward L. Knowlton had . . . . .	2,940
David A. Warde had . . . . .	3,078

and is elected.

## DISTRICT No. 5.

Whole number of votes, . . . . .	5,372
Necessary to a choice, . . . . .	2,687
Lafayette Hall had . . . . .	1



Alonzo S. Craig had . . . . .	2
Carl H. Horsh had . . . . .	35
John Scales had . . . . .	287
James Brown had . . . . .	2,197
Edwin Wallace had . . . . .	2,850

and is elected.

## DISTRICT No. 6.

Whole number of votes, . . . . .	7,306
Necessary to a choice, . . . . .	3,654
John Smith, Jr., had . . . . .	1
Henry Abbott had . . . . .	2
Orestes H. Key had . . . . .	217
Daniel E. Palmer had . . . . .	68
Otis G. Hatch had . . . . .	3,416
John W. Sanborn had . . . . .	3,602

and there is no choice. The two highest candidates are Otis G. Hatch and John W. Sanborn.

## DISTRICT No. 7.

Whole number of votes, . . . . .	4,468
Necessary to a choice, . . . . .	2,235
James H. Burgess had . . . . .	1
Ezra W. Bartlett had . . . . .	2
Enoch J. Colburn had . . . . .	20
Benjamin P. Moore had . . . . .	163
Simeon S. Stickney had . . . . .	1,939
Charles H. Burns had . . . . .	2,343

and is elected.

## DISTRICT No. 8.

Whole number of votes, . . . . .	5,116
Necessary to a choice, . . . . .	2,559
Amos Whittemore had . . . . .	1
Charles Wilder had . . . . .	1
George O. Rogers had . . . . .	8
David L. Gage had . . . . .	1
Henry D. Pierce had . . . . .	43
Samuel I. Vose had . . . . .	2,365
William H. Gove had . . . . .	2,697

and is elected.



## DISTRICT No. 9.

Whole number of votes, . . . . .	5,213
Necessary to a choice, . . . . .	2,607
Tileston A. Barker had . . . . .	1
Benjamin F. Gilmore had . . . . .	13
Sidney M. Morse had . . . . .	43
Thomas L. Fowler had . . . . .	42
Reuben Stewart had . . . . .	2,112
Henry Abbott had . . . . .	3,002

and is elected.

## DISTRICT No. 10.

Whole number of votes, . . . . .	4,997
Necessary to a choice, . . . . .	2,499
William H. Gove had . . . . .	2
Benjamin M. Gilmore had . . . . .	112
Sidney M. Morse had . . . . .	6
Benjamin F. Gilmore had . . . . .	51
Edmund L. Cushing had . . . . .	2,277
Henry A. Hitchcock had . . . . .	2,549

and is elected.

## DISTRICT No. 11.

Whole number of votes, . . . . .	5,457
Necessary to a choice, . . . . .	3,229
Samuel I. Vose had . . . . .	10
Eleazer B. Parker had . . . . .	3
David M. Clough had . . . . .	1
Benjamin F. Cass had . . . . .	57
Stephen Kenrick had . . . . .	2,967
Warren F. Daniell had . . . . .	3,419

and is elected.

## DISTRICT No. 12.

Whole number of votes, . . . . .	7,700
Necessary to a choice, . . . . .	3,851
George O. Rogers had . . . . .	29
Orestes H. Key had . . . . .	1
John F. Locke had . . . . .	92
Marcus D. Johnson had . . . . .	3,224
Eleazer B. Parker had . . . . .	4,354

and is elected.

C. H. BURNS,  
WM. H. GOVE,  
*Committee.*



Mr. Gove, of No. 8, presented the following resolution, which was adopted :

*Resolved*, That a message be sent to the House of Representatives by the clerk, that vacancies exist in senatorial districts No. 2 and No. 6, by reason of no election by the people in said districts ; that James Ayer and Charles Sanborn are the two highest candidates in districts No. 2, and John W. Sanborn and Otis G. Hatch in district No. 6 ; and that the Senate are ready to meet the House in convention at such time as the House may suggest, for the purpose of filling the vacancies in the Senate, agreeably to the provisions of the constitution.

Mr. Abbott, of No. 9, presented the following resolution, which was adopted :

*Resolved*, That the doorkeeper furnish, for the use of the Senate during the session, three copies of the General Statutes, and three copies of all pamphlet laws enacted since the enactment of the General Statutes.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives :

*Mr. President :*

The House of Representatives are now ready to meet the Honorable Senate in convention, for the purpose of proceeding in the elections, agreeably to the provisions of the constitution.

On motion of Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, the Senate met the House in convention.

(See House proceedings.)

On reassembling, the following message was received from the House of Representatives :

*Mr. President :*

The House of Representatives have appointed Kent of Portsmouth, Whitehouse of Rochester, Gilman of Gilmanton, Doe of Tuftonboro', Sturtevant of Concord, Merriam of Greenville, Davis of Hinsdale, Norcott of Stratford, Page of Benton, Walker of Hanover, a committee on the part of the House, with such as the Senate may join, to wait on the honorable councillors elect, and inform them of their election as councillors for the ensuing year.



And the question being stated,

Will the Senate concur?

It was decided in the affirmative, and the Senate joined Messrs. Burns, of No. 7, and Daniell, of No. 11.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives:

*Mr. President:*

The House of Representatives have appointed Messrs. Gould of Peterboro', Smith of Newmarket, Todd of Concord, on the part of the House, with such as the Senate may join, to assign committee rooms to the several standing committees, under the rules of the House and joint rules of the Senate and House.

And the question being stated,

Will the Senate concur?

It was decided in the affirmative, and the Senate joined Mr. Brown, of No. 1.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives:

*Mr. President:*

The House of Representatives have appointed Messrs. Albin of Concord, Hatch of Portsmouth, Wiswall of Durham, Sanborn of Gilford, Thompson of Eaton, Everett of Manchester, Prouty of Keene, Daniels of Plainfield, Cragin of Lebanon, Eaton of Berlin, on the part of the House, with such as the Senate may join, to notify the Hon. Ezekiel A. Straw of his election as governor for the ensuing year.

And the question being stated,

Will the Senate concur?

It was decided in the affirmative, and the Senate joined Messrs. Foster, of No. 3, and Gove, of No. 8.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives:

*Mr. President:*

The House of Representatives are now ready to meet the Honorable Senate in convention, for the purpose of proceeding in the elections, agreeably to the provisions of the constitution.



On motion of Mr. Burns, of No. 7, the Senate met the House in convention.

Mr. Foster, of No. 3, presented the following report, which was accepted:

The joint committee, appointed to wait on His Excellency Ezekiel A. Straw, and inform him of his election as governor for the ensuing year, report that they have attended to the duty assigned them, and that he has informed them that he will meet the Senate and House of Representatives in convention, at twelve and one-half o'clock, take the oath of office, and make a communication to the legislature.

On motion of Mr. Daniel, of No. 11, the Senate adjourned to this afternoon at three o'clock.

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AFTERNOON.

Mr. Abbott, of No. 9, from the joint committee on the part of the Senate to wait upon the councillors elect and inform them of their election, report that they have attended to their duty, and informed them of their election; namely,—

Hon. Samuel P. Dow, No. 1; Hon. John J. Morrill, No. 2; Hon. William P. Newell, No. 3; Hon. Bolivar Lovell, No. 4; Hon. Nathan R. Perkins, No. 5;—and these gentlemen signified their acceptance of the office.

Which report was accepted.

On motion of Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, the Senate adjourned to nine o'clock to-morrow morning.

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FRIDAY, JUNE 6th, 1873.

The Senate met according to adjournment.

Upon motion of Mr. Abbott, of No. 9, the rules were suspended, and the reading of the journal of yesterday's proceedings was dispensed with.

On motion of Mr. Foster, of No. 3, the Senate adjourned to Monday afternoon at four o'clock.



MONDAY, JUNE 9th, 1873.

The Senate met at four o'clock in the afternoon.

The president then announced the following as the standing committees of the session:

STANDING COMMITTEES.

- On the Judiciary*—Messrs. Burns, Gove, Wallace.
- On State Institutions*—Messrs. Hitchcock, Daniell, Hatch.
- On Railroads*—Messrs. Foster, Brown, Burns.
- On Banks*—Messrs. Abbott, Foster, Daniell.
- On Incorporations*—Messrs. Parker, Abbott, Sanborn.
- On Towns*—Messrs. Wallace, Gove, Foster.
- On Military Affairs*—Messrs. Daniell, Hatch, Brown.
- On Claims*—Messrs. Sanborn, Burns, Gove.
- On Finance*—Messrs. Foster, Hitchcock, Brown.
- On Education*—Messrs. Gove, Burns, Parker.
- On Elections*—Messrs. Hatch, Abbott, Daniell.
- On Roads, Bridges, and Canals*—Messrs. Hitchcock, Parker, Sanborn.
- On Agriculture and Manufactures*—Messrs. Brown, Wallace, Parker.

JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES.

- On Engrossed Bills*—Messrs. Wallace, Parker.
- On Library*—Mr. Abbott.
- On State House and State House Yard*—Mr. Sanborn.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives:

*Mr. President:*

The House of Representatives will meet the Honorable Senate in convention, for the purpose of proceeding in the election of secretary of state, state treasurer, state printer, and commissary-general, on Wednesday of next week, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

The following resolution, presented by Mr. Foster, of No. 3, was adopted:

*Resolved*, That the clerk be desired to procure for the use of the Senate and its officers the usual number of rules, printed and bound in the usual manner.



Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, presented the following resolution, which was adopted:

*Resolved*, That the Senate will meet the House of Representatives in convention, for the purpose of proceeding in the election of secretary of state, state treasurer, state printer, and commissary-general, on Wednesday of this week, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

#### NOTICES OF BILLS.

By Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, an act entitled "An act to authorize the issue of bonds by the Nashua & Rochester Railroad, and for other purposes."

By Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, "An act in amendment of section sixteen, chapter two hundred and five of the General Statutes, in relation to attachments."

Also, "An act in relation to the keeping and maintaining of highway bridges in certain cases."

By Mr. Burns, of No. 7, "An act to incorporate the Wilton Company."

On motion of Mr. Foster, of No. 3, the Senate adjourned.

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#### TUESDAY, JUNE 10th, 1873.

The journal of yesterday's proceedings was read and approved.

Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, presented the following resolution, which was adopted:

*Resolved*, That the use of the Senate chamber be granted for holding the annual meeting of the Prisoners' Aid Society, this Tuesday evening, June 10, at one quarter before eight o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Burns, of No. 7, the Senate adjourned.

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#### AFTERNOON.

Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, from the joint Committee on Engrossed Bills on the part of the Senate, reported that the committee have appointed Charles W. Hoitt, of Dover, engrossing clerk.

Which report was accepted.



The following message was received from the House of Representatives :

*Mr. President :*

The House of Representatives have appointed the following named gentlemen as members of the joint standing committees on the part of the House :

*On State House and State House Yard*—Jenks of Concord, Healey of Raymond, Parker of Merrimack.

*On State Library*—Bell of Exeter, Reed of Pembroke, Wheelock of Keene.

*On Engrossed Bills*—Plumer of Milton, Marsh of Nashua.

BILLS INTRODUCED, READ TWICE, AND REFERRED.

*To the Committee on Roads, Bridges, and Canals :*

By Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, "An act in relation to the keeping and maintaining of highway bridges in certain cases."

*To the Committee on the Judiciary :*

By Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, "An act in amendment of section sixteen, of chapter two hundred and five of the General Statutes, in relation to attachments."

*To the Committee on Railroads :*

By Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, an "Act to authorize the issue of bonds by the Nashua & Rochester Railroad, and for other purposes."

On motion of Mr. Abbott, of No. 9, the Senate adjourned.

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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 11th, 1873.

The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

On motion of Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10,

*Resolved*, That a committee of three be appointed, to take into consideration the message of His Excellency the Governor, and report what disposition shall be made of the several subjects referred to therein ; and Messrs. Hitchcock of No. 10,



Parker of No. 12, and Hatch of No. 6, were chosen as such committee.

On motion of Mr. Gove, of No. 8, the Senate adjourned.

#### AFTERNOON.

The joint committee to assign rooms to the several committees, having attended to their duties, would submit the following report :

Room No. 1, to the Judiciary Committee.

“ No. 2, to the Committees on Agriculture, Agricultural College, and Mileage.

“ No. 3, to the Committee on Claims.

“ No. 4, to the Committee on Railroads.

“ No. 5, to the Committee on Elections.

“ No. 6, to the Committees on State Prison, Fisheries, and Bills on their Second Reading.

“ No. 7, to the Committees on Retrenchment and Reform, State Normal School, and Alteration of Names.

“ No. 8, to the Committees on Banks, Manufactures, and Incorporations.

“ No. 9, to the Committees on Division of Towns, Asylum for the Insane, and Reform School.

“ No. 10, to the Committees on Education, Finance, Unfinished Business, and Insurance.

“ No. 11, to the Committees on Roads, Bridges, and Canals, Printers' Accounts, Towns and Parishes.

Library Room, to the Committee on National Affairs.

WARREN BROWN,

CHARLES H. SMITH,

*Committee.*

Which report was accepted.

Mr. Burns, of No. 7, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled “ An act in amendment of section sixteen of chapter two hundred and five of the General Statutes in relation to attachments,” reports the same without amendment ; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.



On motion of Mr. Burns, of No. 7, the Senate met the House in convention.

(See House proceedings.)

On returning to their chamber, Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, presented the following resolution, which was adopted :

*Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring,* That all bills to be acted upon at the present session of the legislature shall be presented in one branch thereof, on or before Thursday, the nineteenth day of June inst.

On motion of Mr. Brown, of No. 1, the Senate adjourned.

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THURSDAY, JUNE 12th, 1873.

The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives :

*Mr. President :*

The House of Representatives have passed the concurrent resolution sent down from the Honorable Senate for concurrence, providing that all bills to be acted upon at the present session of the legislature shall be presented in one branch thereof, on or before Thursday, the nineteenth day of June inst.

Mr. Parker, of No. 12, gives notice that on to-morrow, or some subsequent day, he will ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled "An act in amendment of section one of chapter one of the pamphlet laws of 1872, relating to the assessment of public taxes."

The following message was received from the House of Representatives :

*Mr. President :*

The House of Representatives have passed bills with the following titles, in the passage of which they ask the concurrence of the honorable Senate :

An act to amend section five of chapter forty-nine of the General Statutes, in relation to persons and property liable to taxation.



An act to amend section one of chapter two hundred and fifty-one of the General Statutes, in relation to offences against game laws.

An act to amend section fifteen of chapter one hundred and twenty-eight of the General Statutes, in relation to fences and common fields.

Which bills were read twice, and severally referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Daniell, of No. 11, the Senate adjourned.

#### AFTERNOON.

Mr. Burns, of No. 7, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to amend section five of chapter forty-nine of the General Statutes, in relation to persons and property liable to taxation," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Gove, of No. 8, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to amend section one of chapter two hundred and fifty-one of the General Statutes, in relation to offences against game laws," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to amend section fifteen of chapter one hundred and twenty-eight of the General Statutes, in relation to fences and common fields," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Bill read twice, and referred to the Committee on Incorporations:

An act to incorporate the Wilton Company.

The following bill was read a third time, and passed:

An act in amendment of section sixteen of chapter two hundred and five of the General Statutes, in relation to attachments.

On motion of Mr. Burns, of No. 7,

*Resolved*, That the clerk be directed to procure for the use



of each member and officer of the Senate, during the present session of the legislature, one copy each of the *Daily Monitor*, *Patriot*, and *People*, printed at Concord.

On motion of Mr. Hatch, of No. 6, the Senate adjourned.

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FRIDAY, JUNE 13th, 1873.

The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

## NOTICES OF BILLS.

By Mr. Burns, of No. 7, "An act supplementary to an amendment of chapter eighty-eight of the laws passed at the June session, 1872, entitled 'An act in amendment of the charter of the city of Nashua.'" Also, "An act in amendment of chapter two hundred and thirteen of the General Statutes, relating to judgments."

The following message was received from the House of Representatives:

*Mr. President:*

The House of Representatives have passed bills with the following titles, in the passage of which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate:

An act to incorporate the Laconia Manufacturing Company.

An act in amendment of chapter thirty-nine of the pamphlet laws of 1872, in relation to civil suits.

An act to authorize the town of Hampstead to procure a lot and erect a high school house.

An act to incorporate the trustees of the Hampstead high school.

An act in addition to an act to incorporate the Howard Benevolent Society of Portsmouth.

An act in amendment of section two of chapter one hundred and sixty-nine of the General Statutes, in relation to the adoption of children.



An act to provide for additional terms of the probate court for the county of Merrimack.

The following bills sent up from the House of Representatives, were read twice, and referred as follows :

*To the Committee on the Judiciary :*

An act in amendment of chapter thirty-nine of the pamphlet laws of 1872, in relation to civil suits.

An act in addition to an act to incorporate the Howard Benevolent Society at Portsmouth.

An act in amendment of section two of chapter one hundred and sixty-nine of the General Statutes, in relation to the adoption of children.

An act to provide for additional terms of the probate court for the county of Merrimack.

*To the Committee on Education :*

An act authorizing the town of Hampstead to procure a lot and erect a high school house.

An act to incorporate the trustees of the Hampstead high school.

*To the Committee on Agriculture and Manufactures :*

An act to incorporate the Laconia Manufacturing Company.

On motion of Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, the Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

On motion of Mr. Foster, of No. 3, the Senate adjourned to Monday next, at 4 o'clock p. m.

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MONDAY, JUNE 16th, 1873.

The journal of Friday's proceedings was read and approved.

Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, from the select committee to whom was referred the inaugural address of His Excellency the Governor, with instructions to report what disposition he made of



the several subjects embraced therein, reported the following resolution :

*Resolved*, That so much of the address of His Excellency the Governor as relates to finance, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

So much as relates to banks of discount and savings banks, to the Committee on Banks.

So much as relates to education, and education of the deaf, dumb, and blind, to the Committee on Education.

So much as relates to agriculture, to the Committee on Agriculture and Manufactures.

So much as relates to the state prison, reform school, and asylum for the insane, to the Committee on State Institutions.

So much as relates to geological survey, to the Committee on Education.

So much as relates to the agricultural college, to the Committee on Agriculture and Manufactures.

So much as relates to the centennial exposition, to the Committee on Military Affairs.

So much as relates to temperance, to a select committee of three.

So much as relates to the revision of the constitution, to a select committee of three.

So much as relates to economy in legislation, to the Committee on Elections.

So much as relates to national affairs, to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Which report was accepted, and the resolution adopted.

The President announced as the select committee on temperance, Messrs. Hitchcock, Parker, and Hatch; and as the select committee on revision of the laws, Messrs. Burns, Gove, and Brown.

#### NOTICES OF BILLS.

By Mr. Hatch, of No. 6, "An act in amendment of chapter ninety-nine of the General Statutes, relating to the sale of spirituous liquors."



By Mr. Sanborn, of No. 2, "An act to incorporate the Spicket River Railroad."

The following bill was introduced, read twice, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary :

An act supplementary to and in amendment of chapter eighty-eight of the laws passed at the June session, 1872, entitled "An act in amendment of the charter of the city of Nashua."

On motion of Mr. Abbott, of No. 9, the Senate adjourned.

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TUESDAY, JUNE 17th, 1873.

The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

Mr. Gove, of No. 8, from the Committee on Education, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act authorizing the town of Hampstead to procure a lot and erect a high school house," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Burns, of No. 7, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in addition to an act to incorporate the Howard Benevolent Society at Portsmouth," reported the same, with the following resolution :

*Resolved*, That the bill be referred to the Committee on Incorporations.

Which resolution was adopted.

The same gentleman, from the Committee on Education, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to incorporate the trustees of the Hampstead high school," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to provide for additional terms of the probate court for the county of Merrimack," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Gove, of No. 8, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment of section two of chapter one hundred and sixty-nine of the Gen-



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eral Statutes, in relation to the adoption of children," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

NOTICE OF A BILL.

By Mr. Brown, of No. 1, "An act to incorporate the Indian River Railroad."

Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, from the select committee to whom was referred so much of the governor's message as relates to temperance, reported the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That it is inexpedient to legislate upon the subject.

And the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, from the Committee on Roads, Bridges, and Canals, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in relation to the keeping and maintaining of highway bridges in certain cases," reported the same without amendment, which report was accepted.

On motion of Mr. Burns, of No. 7, the bill was laid upon the table.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn, of No. 2, the Senate adjourned to four o'clock this afternoon.

AFTERNOON.

The following bill was introduced, read twice, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary:

An act in amendment of chapter ninety-nine of the General Statutes, relating to the sale of spirituous liquors.

The following bills were read a third time, and passed:

An act in amendment of section two of chapter one hundred and sixty-nine of the General Statutes, in relation to the adoption of children.

An act to provide for additional terms of the probate court for the county of Merrimack.

An act to incorporate the trustees of the Hampstead high school.

An act authorizing the town of Hampstead to procure a lot and erect a high school house.



An act to amend section one of chapter two hundred and fifty-one of the General Statutes, in relation to offences against game laws.

An act to amend section five of chapter forty-nine of the General Statutes, in relation to persons and property liable to taxation.

An act to amend section fifteen of chapter one hundred and twenty-eight of the General Statutes, in relation to fences and common fields.

On motion of Mr. Hatch, of No. 6, the Senate adjourned.

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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 18th, 1873.

The journal of yesterday's proceedings was read and approved.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives :

*Mr. President :*

The House of Representatives have passed bills with the following titles, in the passage of which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate :

An act in amendment of an act entitled "An act to authorize a limited reimbursement of municipal war expenditures, passed June session, A. D. 1870."

An act in relation to assignments.

An act to incorporate the Epping Savings Bank.

An act to incorporate the Wilmot and Kearsarge Road Company.

An act in addition to and in amendment of section one of chapter twenty-six of the pamphlet laws of June session, 1872, in relation to the reimbursement of municipal war expenses.

An act in amendment of chapter one hundred and sixty-four of the General Statutes, relating to husband and wife.

The following bills were read twice and referred as follows :

*To the Committee on the Judiciary :*

An act in amendment of an act entitled an act to authorize



a limited reimbursement of municipal war expenditures, passed June session, A. D. 1870.

An act in addition to and in amendment of section one of chapter twenty-six of the pamphlet laws of June session, 1872, in relation to the reimbursement of municipal war expenses.

*To the Committee on Banks :*

An act to incorporate the Epping Savings Bank.

*To the Committee on Roads, Bridges, and Canals :*

An act to incorporate the Wilmot and Kearsarge Road Company.

*To the Committee on Railroads :*

An act to incorporate the Indian River Railroad.

The following bills were read once and laid upon the table, on motion of Mr. Foster, of No. 3 :

An act in relation to assignments.

An act in amendment of chapter one hundred and sixty-four of the General Statutes, relating to husband and wife.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn, of No. 2, the Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, from the Committee on Agriculture and Manufactures, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to incorporate the Laconia Manufacturing Company," reported the same with the accompanying amendments :

Amend the second section by striking out all thereof after the word "claims" in the tenth line thereof.

Further amend the bill by adding at the close of the third section the following words: "And any of said shares may be issued by said corporation to the vendors of any of the mills, machinery, or other property now owned by the Belknap Mills, or of any of the claims of the mortgagees, or other creditors of said Belknap Mills, in such amount as shall be mutually agreed upon by said corporation and said vendors respectively, in payment for said property or claims; and the capital of said corporation, to the extent of the amount of the shares of stock so issued, shall, to all intents and purposes, be deemed and taken to have been paid in by the conveyance and assignment to said



corporation of the property and claims so purchased, and the stock so issued shall not be liable to any further assessment by reason of the same not having been paid in in cash."

Which report was accepted and the amendments adopted.

On motion of Mr. Brown, of No. 1, the rules were suspended, and the bill read a third time by its title and passed.

Mr. Parker, of No. 12, from the Committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to incorporate the Wilton Company," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Burns, of No. 7, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act supplementary to and in amendment of chapter eighty-eight of the laws passed at the June session, 1872, entitled 'An act in amendment of the charter of the city of Nashua,'" reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

The following bill was introduced, read twice, and referred to the Committee on Railroads:

An act to incorporate the Spicket River Railroad.

#### NOTICES OF BILLS.

By Mr. Burns, of No. 7, an act in amendment of chapter one hundred and ninety-seven of the General Statutes, in relation to the powers and duties of constables.

An act in addition to and amendment of section six of chapter one hundred and seventy-two of the General Statutes, in relation to times and places of holding courts of probate for the county of Hillsborough.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives:

*Mr. President:*

The House of Representatives have passed bills with the following titles, in the passage of which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate:

An act to incorporate the Squamscott Savings Bank.

An act to incorporate the Manchester Turnverein and Gymnastical School.



An act to change the name of the Bailey Mills.

An act to incorporate the Forest Mills Company.

An act to incorporate the Hillsboro' Mills.

An act to incorporate the People's Savings Bank.

An act in aid of the Nashua, Acton & Boston Railroad.

Joint resolution in favor of D. Allen Folger.

On motion of Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, the Senate adjourned.

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THURSDAY, JUNE 19th, 1873.

The journal of yesterday's proceedings was read and approved.

Mr. Burns, of No. 7, presented the following resolution, which was adopted :

*Resolved*, That a door-keeper, *pro tempore*, be appointed by the president of the Senate.

And the president appointed George C. Gordon, of Salem, door-keeper *pro tem*.

Mr. Parker, of No. 12, from the Committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in addition to an act to incorporate the Howard Benevolent Society at Portsmouth, reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

The following bills and joint resolutions were read twice, and referred as follows :

*To the Committee on Railroads :*

An act in aid of the Nashua, Acton & Boston Railroad.

*To the Committee on Education :*

An act to incorporate the Manchester Turnverein and Gymnastical School.

*To the Committee on Incorporations :*

An act to incorporate the Forest Mills Company.

An act to incorporate the Hillsboro' Mills.



*To the Committee on Banks :*

An act to incorporate the Squamscott Savings Bank.

An act to incorporate the People's Savings Bank.

*To the Committee on Finance :*

Joint resolution in favor of D. Allen Folger.

*To the Committee on Incorporations :*

An act to change the name of the Bailey Mills.

Mr. Burns, of No. 7, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment of chapter thirty-nine of the pamphlet laws of 1872, in relation to civil suits," reported the same with the following resolution :

*Resolved*, That the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Which report was accepted and the resolution adopted.

Mr. Burns, of No. 7, presented the following resolution, which was adopted :

*Resolved*, That the Senate appoint a committee of one, to join the committee from the House of Representatives, to visit the medical college at Hanover.

The president appointed Mr. Burns, of No. 7, as such committee.

The following bills were introduced, read twice, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary :

An act in addition to and in amendment of section six, chapter one hundred and seventy-two of the General Statutes, in relation to the times and places of holding courts of probate for the county of Hillsborough.

An act in amendment of chapter one hundred and ninety-seven of the General Statutes.

On motion of Mr. Abbott, of No. 9, the rules were suspended, and the following bill was introduced, read twice, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary :

An act in amendment of chapter two hundred and thirty of the General Statutes, in relation to the trustee process.

On motion of Mr. Burns, of No. 7, the following bill was taken from the table, and considered :

An act in relation to the keeping and maintaining of highway bridges in certain cases.



Mr. Burns, of No. 7, moved to indefinitely postpone the bill; which motion prevailed.

Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, demanded the yeas and nays, with the following result :

Yeas, 7 ; nays, 4.

And the bill was indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Mr. Daniell, of No. 11, the Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

The following bills were read a third time, and passed :

An act to incorporate the Wilton Company.

An act in addition to an act to incorporate the Howard Benevolent Society at Portsmouth.

An act supplementary to and in amendment of chapter eighty-eight of the laws passed at the June session, 1872, entitled "An act in amendment of the charter of the city of Nashua."

Mr. Gove, of No. 8, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in addition to and in amendment of section one of chapter twenty-six of the pamphlet laws of the June session, 1872, in relation to the reimbursement of municipal war expenses," reported the same without amendment ; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

The same gentleman, from the Committee on Education, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to incorporate the Manchester Turnverein and Gymnastical School," reported the following resolution :

*Resolved*, That the bill be referred to the Committee on Incorporations.

Which resolution was adopted.

Mr. Burns, of No. 7, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment of an act entitled 'An act to authorize a limited reimbursement of municipal war expenditures,' passed June session, A. D. 1870," reported the same without amendment ; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Abbott, of No. 9, from the Committee on Banks, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to incorporate the Epping



Savings Bank," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

## NOTICE OF A BILL.

By Mr. Hatch, of No. 6, "An act in amendment of chapter one of the pamphlet laws, passed June session, 1868, in regard to the settlement of paupers."

On motion of Mr. Gove, of No. 8, the Senate adjourned.

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FRIDAY, JUNE 20th, 1873.

The reading of the journal of yesterday's proceedings was approved.

On motion of Mr. Brown, of No. 1:

*Resolved*, That when the Senate adjourns this forenoon, it adjourn to meet at two o'clock this afternoon; and when it adjourns this afternoon, it adjourn to meet at four o'clock Monday afternoon.

Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment of chapter two hundred and thirty of the General Statutes, in relation to trustee process," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Sanborn, of No. 2, from the Committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to change the name of the Bailey Mills," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Parker, of No. 12, from the Committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to incorporate the Forest Mills Company," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Abbott, of No. 9, from the Committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to incorporate the Hillsboro' Mills," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Foster, of No. 3, from the Committee on Railroads, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in aid of the Nashua,



Acton & Boston Railroad," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Burns, of No. 7, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in addition to and amendment of section six, chapter one hundred and seventy-two of the General Statutes, in relation to the times and places of holding courts of probate for the county of Hillsborough," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment of chapter one hundred and ninety-seven of the General Statutes, in relation to the powers and duties of constables," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Gove, of No. 8, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment of chapter ninety-nine of the General Statutes, relating to the sale of spirituous liquors," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, from the joint Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they have carefully examined, and find correctly engrossed, bills with the following titles:

An act to amend section fifteen of chapter one hundred and twenty-eight of the General Statutes, in relation to fences and common fields.

An act to incorporate the Laconia Manufacturing Company.

An act to incorporate the trustees of the Hampstead high school.

An act in amendment of section two of chapter one hundred and sixty-nine of the General Statutes, in relation to the adoption of children.

An act to provide for additional terms of the probate court for the county of Merrimack.

An act to amend section five of chapter forty-nine of the General Statutes, in relation to persons and property liable to taxation.

An act to amend section one of chapter two hundred and



fifty-one of the General Statutes, in relation to offences against game laws.

Which report was accepted.

On motion of Mr. Foster, of No. 3, the following bill was taken from the table:

An act in relation to assignments.

Which bill was read a second time, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Abbott, of No. 9, the rules were suspended, and the following bill introduced, read twice, and referred to the Committee on Banks:

An act in amendment of section two of chapter four of the pamphlet laws of 1869, relating to savings banks.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives:

*Mr. President:*

The House of Representatives have passed bills and joint resolutions with the following titles, in the passage of which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate:

An act to disannex the homestead of Charles C. Hayes, of Rollinsford, from school district No. 5, and annex the same to school district No. 4 in said town.

An act to sever a section from the town of Lyndeboro' and annex the same to Milford.

An act to legalize certain doings of school district No. 3, in Somersworth.

An act in relation to the police court of Keene.

An act relating to school districts Nos. 2 and 7, in the town of Jaffrey.

An act to incorporate the Stratford Hollow Bridge Company.

An act authorizing the city of Nashua to construct water-works.

An act to provide for the storage, sale, and inspection of petroleum and its products.

A joint resolution authorizing an appropriation to reframe the portrait of Washington, in the Representatives' hall.



An act to authorize the Portsmouth, Great Falls & Conway Railroad to connect with the Portsmouth & Dover Railroad.

An act authorizing and empowering the town of Clarksville to ratify and confirm the tax of said town for the year 1871.

An act in amendment of section nine of chapter one hundred and seventy-two of the General Statutes, in relation to times and places for holding probate courts in the county of Grafton.

An act to disannex certain tracts of land owned by Charles E. Moses and others from school district No. 7 in Columbia, and annex the same to school district No. 8 in Colebrook, for school purposes.

An act relating to sewerage in the city of Concord.

An act to incorporate the Mount Washington Lodge of Free Masons.

An act in relation to the government of railroad trains.

The House give notice that they have concurred in the amendment sent down from the Honorable Senate to the House bill entitled "An act to incorporate the Laconia Manufacturing Company."

On motion of Mr. Burns, of No. 7, the vote whereby the bill entitled "An act in amendment of chapter thirty-nine of the pamphlet laws of 1872, in relation to civil suits," was indefinitely postponed, was reconsidered; and the Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, for a hearing upon the bill.

On reassembling—

Upon motion of Mr. Abbott, of No. 9, the bill was recommitted.

The following bills were read twice and referred as follows:

*To the Committee on Railroads:*

An act to authorize the Portsmouth, Great Falls & Conway Railroad to connect with the Portsmouth & Dover Railroad.

*To the Committee on Education:*

An act to disannex certain tracts of land owned by Charles E. Moses and others from school district No. 7 in Columbia, and annex the same to school district No. 8 in Colebrook, for school purposes.



*To the Committee on the Judiciary :*

An act to provide for the storage, sale, and inspection of petroleum and its products.

An act authorizing and empowering the town of Clarksville to ratify and confirm the tax of said town for the year 1871.

An act in amendment of section nine, chapter one hundred and seventy-two of the General Statutes, in relation to times and places for holding probate courts in the county of Grafton.

An act relating to sewerage in the city of Concord.

An act authorizing the city of Nashua to construct water-works.

An act in relation to the government of railroad trains.

An act to legalize certain doings of school district No. 3, in Somersworth.

An act in relation to the police court of Keene.

(Mr. Abbott in the chair.)

*To the Committee on Towns :*

An act to sever a section from Lyndeboro' and annex the same to Milford.

An act to disannex the homestead of Charles C. Hayes, of Rollinsford, from school district No. 5, and annex the same to school district No. 4 in said town.

*To the Committee on Incorporations :*

An act to incorporate the Mount Washington Lodge of Free Masons.

An act to incorporate the Stratford Hollow Bridge Company.

*To the Committee on Finance :*

A joint resolution, authorizing an appropriation to reframe the portrait of Washington, in the Representatives' hall.

Mr. Parker, of No. 12, from the Committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to incorporate the Manchester Turnverein and Gymnastical School," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Daniell, of No. 11, from the Committee on Banks, to



whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to incorporate the Squamscott Savings Bank," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Brown, of No. 1., from the Committee on Railroads, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to authorize the Portsmouth, Great Falls & Conway Railroad to connect with the Portsmouth & Dover Railroad," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Hatch, of No. 6, the rules were suspended, and the bill read a third time, and passed.

The following bill was read twice, and referred to the Committee on Education:

An act relating to school districts Nos. 2 and 7 in the town of Jaffrey.

On motion of Mr. Hatch, of No. 6, the Senate adjourned.

#### AFTERNOON.

The Senate met at 2 o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Brown, of No. 1, all bills in order for a third reading at 3 o'clock, are in order for a third reading at the present time.

On motion of Mr. Foster, of No. 3, the following bill was taken from the table, read a second time, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary:

An act in amendment of chapter one hundred and sixty-four of the General Statutes, relating to husband and wife.

Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in relation to assignments," reported the same with the following amendment: Amend the first section by adding the following at the end of said section:

"Until a copy of such order or assignment, duly accepted in writing on the back thereof, has been filed with the clerk of the town or city where the party making such order or assignment lives."

Which amendment was adopted, and the bill ordered to a third reading.



(Mr. Burns, of No. 7, in the chair.)

The following bills were read a third time, and passed :

An act in addition to and in amendment of section six, chapter one hundred and seventy-two of the General Statutes, in relation to the times and places of holding courts of probate for the county of Hillsborough.

An act in amendment of chapter ninety-nine of the General Statutes, relating to the sale of spirituous liquors.

An act in amendment of chapter one hundred and ninety-seven of the General Statutes.

An act to incorporate the Forest Mills Company.

An act in addition to and in amendment of section one of chapter twenty-six of the pamphlet laws of June session, 1872, in relation to the reimbursement of municipal war expenses.

An act to incorporate the Epping Savings Bank.

An act to incorporate the Manchester Turnverein and Gymnastical School.

An act to incorporate the Squamscott Savings Bank.

An act in aid of the Nashua, Acton & Boston Railroad.

An act in amendment of chapter two hundred and thirty of the General Statutes, in relation to the trustee process.

An act to incorporate the Hillsboro' Mills.

An act to change the name of the Bailey Mills.

An act in amendment of an act entitled "An act to authorize a limited reimbursement of municipal war expenditures, passed June session, A. D. 1870."

Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the joint resolution in favor of D. Allen Folger, reported the same with the following amendment: Strike off the letter D. before Allen, so that the joint resolution shall be in favor of Allen Folger.

Which amendment was adopted. The bill was then ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, the Senate adjourned.



MONDAY, JUNE 23d, 1873.

The journal of Friday's proceedings was read and approved.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives :

*Mr. President :*

The House of Representatives have passed bills and joint resolutions with the following titles, in the passage of which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate :

An act in amendment to chapter two hundred and seventy-one of the General Statutes, relating to the salary of the treasurer of Rockingham county.

An act to disannex the homestead farm of George W. Davis from district No. 6 in Nottingham, and annex the same to district No. 5 in said town, for school purposes.

An act in amendment of an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Pittsfield Aqueduct Company, passed June session, 1870."

An act to disannex the homestead of Daniel H. Reed, of Fitzwilliam, from district No. 8, and annex the same to district No. 5 in said town.

An act to incorporate The Bar Association of the State of New Hampshire.

An act to protect the eggs and young of certain birds.

An act to incorporate the Mechanics Hall Association of New London.

An act in amendment of sections four and five of chapter three of the laws passed June session, 1872, entitled "An act to regulate the sale of commercial fertilizers."

An act to incorporate the Ladies' Humane Society of Portsmouth.

An act to incorporate the Sandy Lake Water Company.

An act in relation to the public printing.

An act to fix the capacity of milk-cans.

An act to establish the city of Keene.

An act to incorporate the Sawyer Woollen Mills.



An act in amendment of an act entitled "An act to establish a fire district in Pittsfield, passed June session, 1870."

Joint resolution in favor of the Exeter Savings Bank.

Joint resolution of thanks to several persons named therein.

The following bills were read twice, and referred as follows:

*To the Committee on the Judiciary:*

An act to protect the eggs and young of certain birds.

An act to fix the capacity of milk-cans.

*To the Committee on Education:*

An act to disannex the homestead farm of George W. Davis from district No. 6 in Nottingham, and annex the same to district No. 5 in said town, for school purposes.

An act to disannex the homestead of Daniel H. Reed, of Fitzwilliam, from district No. 8, and annex the same to district No. 5 in said Fitzwilliam.

*To the Committee on Incorporations:*

An act to incorporate the Mechanics Hall Association of New London.

The following bill and joint resolution were read a third time, and passed:

An act in relation to assignments.

Joint resolution in favor of Allen Folger.

The following joint resolution was read twice, and ordered to a third reading:

Joint resolution of thanks to several persons named therein.

On motion of Mr. Hitchcock, the rules were suspended, and he had leave to introduce the following bill, which was then read twice, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary:

An act for the better protection of the Keene water-works.

Mr. Abbott, of No. 9, from the Committee on Banks, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to incorporate the People's Savings Bank," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn, of No. 2, the Senate adjourned.



## TUESDAY, JUNE 24th, 1873.

The journal of yesterday's proceedings was read and approved.

The following bills and joint resolution were read twice, and referred as follows:

*To the Committee on the Judiciary:*

An act to incorporate the Ladies' Humane Society of Portsmouth.

*To the Committee on Incorporations:*

An act to incorporate The Bar Association of the State of New Hampshire.

An act in amendment of an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Pittsfield Aqueduct Company, passed June session, 1870."

An act to incorporate the Sandy Lake Water Company.

An act in amendment of an act entitled "An act to establish a fire district in Pittsfield, passed June session, 1870."

*To the Committee on Banks:*

Joint resolution in favor of the Exeter Savings Bank.

*To the Committee on Finance:*

An act in amendment of chapter two hundred and seventy-one of the General Statutes, relating to the salary of the treasurer of Rockingham county.

*To the Committee on State Institutions:*

An act in relation to the public printing.

*To the Committee on Agriculture and Manufactures:*

An act to incorporate the Sawyer Woollen Mills.

An act in amendment of sections four and five of chapter three of laws passed June session, A. D. 1872, entitled "An act to regulate the sale of commercial fertilizers."

*To the Committee on Towns:*

An act to establish the city of Keene.

Mr. Foster, of No. 3, from the Committee on Railroads, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to authorize the issue of bonds by the Nashua & Rochester Railroad, and for



other purposes," reported the same with the following amendments:

Insert at the end of the first section the following: "And subject also to a lien of each stockholder upon the franchise, tolls, income, and property of said corporation, for the payment to such stockholder of the interest and dividends on the shares held by him, as is stipulated in said lease, which lien shall be in priority of any mortgage or bonds given or issued in pursuance of this act; and said bonds may be convertible into stock of said corporation, at its par value, at the option of the holders thereof."

Also, insert "shall" in the place of "may" in the first line of section three.

Which report was accepted, the amendments adopted, and the bill ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Brown, of No. 1, the rules were suspended, and the bill read a third time by its title, and passed.

Mr. Brown, of No. 1, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the joint resolution authorizing an appropriation to reframe the portrait of Washington, in the Representatives' hall, reported the same without amendment; and the joint resolution was ordered to a third reading.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives:

*Mr. President:*

The House of Representatives have passed bills and joint resolutions with the following titles, in the passage of which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate:

An act relating to suits in replevin.

An act to annex certain territory to the town of Bethlehem.

An act relating to the trial of causes.

An act entitled an act to change the name of the Merrimack Normal Institute.

An act in amendment of the charter of the city of Manchester.

An act to incorporate the Rochester Gas-Light Company.



An act in relation to the service of writs or other process upon manufacturing corporations.

Joint resolution providing for a survey of the boundary line between Maine and New Hampshire.

Which bills and joint resolution were read twice, and referred as follows :

*To the Committee on the Judiciary :*

An act relating to the trial of causes.

An act relating to suits in replevin.

An act in relation to the service of writs or other process upon manufacturing corporations.

*To the Committee on Towns :*

An act to annex certain territory to the town of Bethlehem.

An act in amendment of the charter of the city of Manchester.

*To the Committee on Incorporations :*

An act to incorporate the Rochester Gas-Light Company.

*To the Committee on Education :*

An act to change the name of the Merrimack Normal Institute.

*To the Committee on State Institutions :*

A joint resolution providing for a survey of the boundary line between Maine and New Hampshire.

Mr. Daniell, of No. 11, from the Committee on Banks, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment of section two, chapter four of the pamphlet laws of 1869, relating to savings banks," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Burns, of No. 7, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in relation to the police court of Keene," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act relating to sewerage in the city of Concord," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Also, the bill entitled "An act authorizing the city of Nashua



to construct water-works," was reported without amendment; which bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, from the Committee on Towns, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to disannex the homestead of Charles C. Hayes, of Rollinsford, from school district No. 5, and annex the same to school district No. 4 in said town," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

The following bill and joint resolution were read a third time, and passed:

An act to incorporate the People's Savings Bank.

A joint resolution of thanks to the several persons named therein.

On motion of Mr. Gove, of No. 8, the Senate adjourned.

#### AFTERNOON.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives:

*Mr. President:*

The House of Representatives have passed bills and joint resolutions with the following titles, in the passage of which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate:

An act to facilitate the decisions of causes at the law term.

Joint resolution appropriating \$800 as salary for chaplain of the state prison.

Joint resolution providing for final adjournment.

The House have concurred with the Honorable Senate in the passage of the Senate bill entitled "An act in amendment of section sixteen, chapter two hundred and five of the General Statutes, in relation to attachments."

Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, from the Committee on Roads, Bridges, and Canals, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to incorporate the Wilmot and Kearsarge Road Company," reported the same with the following amendment:

Insert after the word "parties," in the sixteenth line of section three, the following: "Unless the party to whom damages are awarded shall appear at the court when the report of said



commissioners is returned, and object thereto in writing; in which case the court shall assess his damages by a jury, agreeably to section thirteen, chapter sixty-three of the General Statutes."

Which amendment was adopted, and the bill ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Foster, of No. 3, from the Committee on Railroads, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to incorporate the Spicket River Railroad," reported the same with the following resolution :

*Resolved*, That the petitioners have leave to withdraw the same.

Which resolution was adopted.

Mr. Abbott, of No. 9, from the Committee on Banks, to whom was referred the joint resolution in favor of the Exeter Savings Bank, reported the same without amendment; and the joint resolution was ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Brown, of No. 1, the rules were suspended, and the joint resolution read a third time by its title, and passed.

The following bill and joint resolution were read twice, and referred as follows :

*To the Committee on the Judiciary :*

An act to facilitate the decisions of causes at the law term.

*To the Committee on State Institutions :*

A joint resolution appropriating \$800 as salary for the chaplain of the state prison.

On motion of Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, the rules were suspended, and the following bill introduced, read twice, and referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Manufactures :

An act to repeal the laws for the protection of pickerel in Sullivan county.

The following bills were read a third time, and passed :

An act relating to sewerage in the city of Concord.

An act to disannex the homestead of Charles C. Hayes, of Rollinsford, from school district No. 5, and annex the same to school district No. 4 in said town.



An act in relation to the police court of Keene.

An act authorizing the city of Nashua to construct water-works.

A joint resolution authorizing an appropriation to reframe the portrait of Washington in the Representatives' hall.

Mr. Gove, of No. 8, moved to concur with the House of Representatives in their resolution to close the session of the legislature on Saturday, June 28th; which motion was lost.

The following bill was read a third time, and passed:

An act in amendment of section two, chapter four of the pamphlet laws of 1869, relating to savings banks.

The following bill was introduced, read twice, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary:

An act in amendment of chapter one, section twenty-three of the pamphlet laws passed at the June session, 1868.

Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, from the Committee on Towns, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to sever a section from Lyndeboro' and annex the same to Milford," reported the same without amendment; and on motion of Mr. Burns, of No. 7, the bill was laid upon the table.

Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment of chapter two hundred and seventy-one of the General Statutes, relating to the salary of the treasurer of Rockingham county," reported the same with the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That the same be indefinitely postponed.

Which report was accepted, and the resolution adopted.

Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, from the Committee on Towns, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to annex certain territory to the town of Bethlehem," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Sanborn, of No. 2, from the Committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to incorporate the Mount Washington Lodge of Free Masons," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, from the Committee on State



Institutions, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in relation to the public printing," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Gove, of No. 8, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act relating to the trial of causes," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act relating to suits in replevin," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Gove, of No. 8, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in relation to the service of writs or other process upon manufacturing corporations," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

The same gentleman, from the Committee on Towns, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment of the charter of the city of Manchester," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Burns, of No. 7, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to incorporate the Ladies' Humane Society of Portsmouth," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to protect the eggs and young of certain birds," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Daniell, of No. 11, from the Committee on State Institutions, to whom was referred a joint resolution providing for a survey of the boundary line between Maine and New Hampshire, reported the same without amendment; and the joint resolution was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Brown, of No. 1, from the Committee on Agriculture and Manufactures, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment of sections four and five of chapter three of laws passed June session, A. D. 1872, entitled 'An act to regulate the



sale of commercial fertilizers," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

The same senator, from the same committee, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to incorporate the Sawyer Woollen Mills," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Burns, of No. 7, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to fix the capacity of milk-cans," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

The same senator, from the same committee, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act for the better protection of Keene water-works," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Abbott, of No. 9, the Senate adjourned.

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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 25th, 1873.

The reading of the journal of yesterday's proceedings was commenced, and, on motion of Mr. Gove, of No. 8, the further reading was dispensed with.

On motion of Mr. Burns, of No. 7, the rules were suspended, and the following bills read a third time, and passed:

An act in amendment of sections four and five of chapter three of the laws passed June session, 1872, entitled "An act to regulate the sale of commercial fertilizers."

(Mr. Brown, of No. 1, in the chair.)

An act to fix the capacity of milk-cans.

An act to incorporate the Mount Washington Lodge of Free Masons.

An act in relation to the public printing.

An act to annex certain territory to the town of Bethlehem.

An act to incorporate the Sawyer Woollen Mills.

An act to incorporate the Wilmot and Kearsarge Road Company.



An act relating to the trial of causes.

An act relating to suits in replevin.

An act to incorporate the Ladies' Humane Society of Portsmouth.

An act for the better protection of the Keene water-works.

An act to protect the eggs and young of certain birds.

Under a suspension of the rules, the following bills were introduced, read twice, and referred as follows:

By Mr. Daniell,—

*To the Committee on the Judiciary:*

An act in relation to the settlement of paupers.

By Mr. Brown,—

*To the Committee on Incorporations:*

An act to regulate the issuing of certificates of shares in the capital stock of gas companies, and for other purposes.

On motion of Mr. Burns, of No. 7, the following bill was taken from the table, and ordered to a third reading.

An act to sever a section from Lyndeboro', and annex the same to Milford.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives:

*Mr. President:*

The House of Representatives have passed bills and joint resolutions with the following titles, in the passage of which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate:

An act in amendment of section two of chapter two hundred and fifty-one of the General Statutes, relating to muskrats.

An act in addition to the act to incorporate St. Paul's School.

An act in amendment of the charter of the Sugar River Railroad.

An act in amendment of an act passed July 9, 1866, entitled an act ratifying the union of certain school districts in the town of Weare.

An act to ratify and confirm the doings of the Lebanon Centre Village fire precinct.



An act in amendment of chapter two hundred and twenty-six of the General Statutes, in relation to replevin.

An act to provide for the assessment and collection of a state tax.

An act in relation to the funding of the floating debt, and for providing for a temporary loan.

Joint resolution relating to the support of indigent deaf, dumb, and blind persons, by the state.

Joint resolution providing for the governor's contingent fund, and clerical expenses of the treasury department.

Joint resolution authorizing the governor to pay the indebtedness of the state to the asylums at Hartford and Boston.

Mr. Parker, of No. 12, from the Committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment of 'An act entitled an act to establish a fire district in Pittsfield,'" passed June session, 1870, reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

The same senator, from the same committee, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to incorporate the Sandy Lake Water Company," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

The same senator, from the Committee on Education, to whom was referred the bills entitled "An act to disannex the homestead of Daniel H. Reed, of Fitzwilliam, from district No. 8, and annex the same to district No. 5, in said Fitzwilliam," and "An act to disannex certain tracts of land owned by Charles E. Moses and others, from school district No. 7 in Columbia, and annex the same to school district No. 8 in Colebrook, for school purposes," reported the same without amendment; and the bills were ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Abbott, of No. 9, from the Committee on Incorporations, to whom were referred the bills entitled "An act to incorporate the Rochester Gas-Light Company," and "An act in amendment of an act to incorporate the Pittsfield Aqueduct Company," passed June session, 1870, reported the same without amendment; and the bills were ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Sanborn, of No. 2, from the Committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the bills entitled "An act to incor-



porate The Bar Association of the State of New Hampshire," and "An act to incorporate the Mechanics Hall Association of New London," reported the same without amendment; and the bills were ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Gove, of No. 8, from the Committee on Education, to whom was referred the bills entitled "An act to disannex the homestead farm of George W. Davis from district No. 6 in Nottingham, and annex the same to district No. 5 in said town, for school purposes;" also, "An act to change the name of the Merrimack Normal Institute," and "An act relating to school districts Nos. 2 and 7 in the town of Jaffrey," reported the same without amendment; and the bills were ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, the Senate adjourned.

#### AFTERNOON.

Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, from the joint Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had carefully examined, and found correctly engrossed, the following entitled bills and joint resolutions:

An act in addition to and in amendment of section one of chapter twenty-six of the pamphlet laws of June session, 1872, in relation to the reimbursement of municipal war expenses.

Joint resolution in favor of the Exeter Savings Bank.

An act to incorporate the Hillsboro' Mills.

An act to change the name of the Bailey Mills.

An act to incorporate the Epping Savings Bank.

An act to incorporate the Manchester Turnverein and Gymnastical School.

Joint resolution of thanks to several persons named therein.

An act in amendment of section sixteen of chapter two hundred and five of the General Statutes, in relation to attachments.

An act in amendment of an act entitled "An act to authorize a limited reimbursement of municipal war expenditures," passed June session, A. D. 1870.



An act in addition to "An act to incorporate the Howard Benevolent Society at Portsmouth."

An act authorizing the town of Hampstead to procure a lot and erect a high school house.

Which report was accepted.

The following bills were read twice, and referred as follows:

*To the Committee on Finance:*

An act to provide for the assessment and collection of a State tax.

An act in relation to the funding of the floating debt, and for providing for a temporary loan.

Joint resolution relating to the support of indigent deaf, dumb, and blind persons of the state.

Joint resolution providing for the governor's contingent fund, and clerical expenses of the treasury department.

Joint resolution authorizing the governor to pay the indebtedness of the state to the asylums at Hartford and Boston.

*To the Committee on the Judiciary:*

An act in amendment of chapter two hundred and twenty-six of the General Statutes, in relation to replevin.

An act in amendment of section two, chapter two hundred and fifty-one of the General Statutes, relating to muskrats.

*To the Committee on Education:*

An act in amendment of an act passed July 9, 1866, entitled "An act ratifying the union of certain school districts in the town of Weare."

An act in addition to the "Act to incorporate St. Paul's School."

*To the Committee on Incorporations:*

An act to ratify and confirm the doings of the Lebanon Centre Village fire precinct.

*To the Committee on Railroads:*

An act in amendment of the charter of the Sugar River Railroad.

Mr. Brown, of No. 1, from the Committee on Railroads, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to incorporate the



Indian River Railroad," reported the same with the following resolution :

*Resolved*, That its consideration be postponed until the next session of the legislature.

Which report was accepted, and the resolution adopted.

The following bills were read a third time, and passed :

An act to incorporate the Rochester Gas-Light Co.

An act to incorporate the Sandy Lake Water Company.

An act to sever a section from Lyndeboro', and annex the same to Milford.

An act in amendment of an act entitled "An act to establish a fire district in Pittsfield," passed June session, 1870.

An act to incorporate the Mechanics Hall Association of New London.

An act relating to school districts numbered two and seven in the town of Jaffrey.

An act to incorporate The Bar Association of the State of New Hampshire.

An act to change the name of the Merrimack Normal Institute.

An act to disannex the homestead farm of George W. Davis from district No. 6 in Nottingham, and annex the same to district No. 5 in said town, for school purposes.

An act to disannex the homestead of Daniel H. Reed, of Fitzwilliam, from district No. 8, and annex the same to district No. 5 in said Fitzwilliam.

An act to disannex certain tracts of land owned by Charles E. Moses and others from school district No. 7 in Columbia, and annex the same to same to school district No. 8 in Colebrook, for school purposes.

An act in amendment of an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Pittsfield Aqueduct Company," passed June session, 1870.

A joint resolution providing for a survey of the boundary line between Maine and New Hampshire.

On motion of Mr. Brown, of No. 1, the Senate adjourned.



THURSDAY, JUNE 26th, 1873.

The reading of the journal was commenced, and, on motion of Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, the rules were suspended, and the further reading of the journal was dispensed with.

Mr. Parker, of No. 12, from the Committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the bills entitled "An act to regulate the issuing of certificates of shares in the capital stock of gas companies, and for other purposes," and "An act to ratify and confirm the doings of the Lebanon Centre Village fire precinct," reported the same without amendment; and the bills were ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Brown, of No. 1, from the Committee on Agriculture and Manufactures, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to repeal the laws for the protection of pickerel in Sullivan county," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Abbott, of No. 9, from the Committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to incorporate the Stratford Hollow Bridge Company," reported the same with the following resolution :

*Resolved*, That the same be postponed to the next session of the legislature.

Which report was accepted, and the resolution adopted.

Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the joint resolution authorizing the governor to pay the indebtedness of the state to the asylums at Hartford and Boston, reported the same without amendment; and the joint resolution was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Gove, of No. 8, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment of section nine of chapter one hundred and seventy-two of the General Statutes, in relation to times and places for holding probate courts in the county of Grafton," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Brown, of No. 1, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the joint resolution relating to the support



of indigent deaf, dumb, and blind persons by the state, reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Gove, of No. 8, from the Committee on Education, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in addition to the act entitled 'An act to incorporate the St. Paul's School,'" reported the same with the following amendment:

Strike out the word "two" in the fourth line of section 1, and insert the word five.

The amendment was adopted, and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment of section two of chapter two hundred and fifty-one of the General Statutes, relating to muskrats," reported the same with the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Which report was accepted, and the resolution adopted.

The same senator, from the same committee, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in relation to the settlement of paupers," reported the same with the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Which report was accepted, and the resolution adopted.

The same senator, from the same committee, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the town of Clarksville to ratify and confirm the tax of said town for the year 1871," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, from the Committee on Towns, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment of the charter of the city of Manchester," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Brown, of No. 1, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the joint resolution providing for the governor's contingent fund, and clerical expense of the treasury department, reported the same without amendment; and the joint resolution was ordered to a third reading.



Mr. Burns, of No. 7, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bills entitled "An act in amendment of chapter two hundred and twenty-six of the General Statutes, in relation to replevin;" "An act in amendment of chapter one, section twenty-three, of the pamphlet laws, passed at the June session, 1868;" "An act to facilitate the decisions of causes at the law term;" and "An act to legalize certain doings of school district No. 3 in Somersworth," reported the same without amendment; and the bills were ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Foster, of No. 3, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in relation to the funding of the floating debt, and for providing for a temporary loan," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, the rules were suspended, and the bill read a third time, and passed.

Mr. Foster, of No. 3, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to provide for the assessment and collection of a state tax," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Abbott, of No. 9, the Senate reconsidered the vote by which they passed the following bill: "An act in amendment of sections four and five of chapter three of the laws passed June session, A. D. 1872, entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of commercial fertilizers;'" and the bill was put back on its second reading, and recommitted.

Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, from the Joint Committee on Engrossed Bills, report that they have carefully examined, and find correctly engrossed, the following entitled bills and joint resolutions:

An act in aid of the Nashua, Acton & Boston Railroad.

Joint resolution in favor of Allen Folger.

A joint resolution, authorizing an appropriation to reframe the portrait of Washington, in the Representatives' hall.

An act to incorporate the Forest Mills Company.

An act to disannex the homestead of Charles C. Hayes, of



Rollinsford, from school district No. 5, and annex the same to school district No. 4 in said town.

An act in relation to assignments.

An act relating to sewerage in the city of Concord.

An act in relation to the police court of Keene.

An act to incorporate the Squamscott Savings Bank.

Which report was accepted.

The following bill was read a third time, and passed :

An act in relation to the service of writs, or other process, upon manufacturing corporations.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives :

*Mr. President :*

The House of Representatives have passed bills with the following titles, in the passage of which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate :

An act to enable the town of Chichester to raise a fund for the support of a high school.

An act to incorporate the Concord Savings Bank.

An act relating to the Portsmouth and Dover Railroad.

An act to incorporate the Saco and Swift River Turnpike Company.

An act in amendment of chapter two hundred and fifty-one of the General Statutes, in relation to offences against game laws.

An act in amendment of section one of chapter fifteen of the laws of 1870, and in amendment of section one of chapter fifteen of the laws of 1872, relative to the duties and powers of trustees of Savings Banks.

An act to disannex a tract of land from the town of Sullivan, and annex the same to the town of Gilsum.

An act relating to the salaries of the judge and register of probate for the county of Merrimack.

The House have concurred in the amendments, sent down from the Senate, of "An act in relation to assignments ;" of joint resolution in favor of D. Allen Folger. They have also voted



that it was inexpedient to legislate on the following bill sent down from the Senate for concurrence: An act in addition to and in amendment of section six, chapter one hundred and seventy-two of the General Statutes, in relation to the times and places of holding courts of probate for the county of Hillsborough.

The following bills were read twice, and referred as follows:

*To the Committee on Banks:*

An act to incorporate the Concord Savings Bank.

An act in amendment of section one of chapter fifteen of the laws of 1870, and in amendment of section one of chapter fifteen of the laws of 1872, relative to the duties and powers of trustees of savings banks.

*To the Committee on Towns:*

An act to disannex a tract of land from the town of Sullivan and annex the same to the town of Gilsum.

*To the Committee on the Judiciary:*

An act relating to the salaries of the judge and register of probate for the county of Merrimack.

*To the Committee on Roads, Bridges, and Canals:*

An act to incorporate the Saco and Swift River Turnpike Company.

*To the Committee on Agriculture and Manufactures:*

An act in amendment of chapter two hundred and fifty-one of the General Statutes, in relation to offences against game laws.

*To the Committee on Railroads:*

An act relating to the Portsmouth and Dover Railroad.

*To the Committee on Education:*

An act to enable the town of Chichester to raise a fund for the support of a high school.

On motion of Mr. Burns, of No. 7, the Senate adjourned.

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The following bills were read a third time, and passed:

An act to ratify and confirm the doings of the Lebanon Centre Village fire precinct.



An act in amendment of section nine of chapter one hundred and seventy-two of the General Statutes, in relation to times and places for holding probate courts in the county of Grafton.

An act authorizing and empowering the town of Clarksville to ratify and confirm the tax of said town for the year 1871.

An act in amendment of the charter of the city of Manchester.

An act in amendment of chapter one, section twenty-three of the pamphlet laws passed June session, 1868.

An act to legalize certain doings of school district No. 3 in Somersworth.

An act in amendment of sections four and five of chapter three of the laws passed June session, 1872, entitled "An act to regulate the sale of commercial fertilizers."

An act to repeal the laws for the protection of pickerel in Sullivan county.

An act to provide for the assessment and collection of a state tax.

An act in amendment of chapter two hundred and twenty-six of the General Statutes, in relation to replevin.

An act to facilitate the decisions of causes at the law term.

Joint resolution authorizing the governor to pay the indebtedness of the state to the asylums at Hartford and Boston.

Joint resolution providing for governor's contingent fund, and clerical expenses of the treasury department.

Joint resolution relating to the support of indigent deaf, dumb, and blind persons by the state.

An act in addition to the "Act to incorporate St. Paul's School."

Mr. Burns, of No. 7, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act relating to the salaries of the judge of probate and register of probate for the county of Merrimack," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Brown, of No. 1, from the Committee on Agriculture and Manufactures, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment of sections four and five of chapter three of laws passed June session, A. D. 1872, entitled 'An act to regu-



late the sale of commercial fertilizers,'” reported the same with the following amendment:

Add, at the end of the second section, the following: Provided, however, that nothing in this act shall affect or be so construed as to interfere with any pending suits or proceedings.

Which amendment was adopted, and the bill ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the joint resolution appropriating \$800 as salary for chaplain of the state prison, reported the same without amendment; and the resolution was ordered to a third reading.

The following bill was read a third time, and, on motion of Mr. Foster, of No. 3, was put back upon its second reading, and recommitted:

An act to regulate the issuing of certificates of shares in the capital stock of gas companies, and for other purposes.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn, of No. 2, the Senate adjourned.

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FRIDAY, JUNE 27th, 1873.

The reading of the journal was commenced, and, on motion of Mr. Parker, of No. 12, the rules were suspended, and the further reading of the journal was dispensed with.

Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, from the Committee on Towns, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An act to establish the city of Keene,” having considered the same, reported the same with the following amendment:

Amend by adding the following section after the tenth section of said bill:

SECT. 11. The first meeting of the legal voters of said Keene, for the choice of city and ward officers, shall be held on the second Tuesday of April following the adoption of this act. The mayor, aldermen, and common councilmen then elected shall meet in convention, for the purpose of taking the oath of their respective offices, on the first Tuesday of May next succeeding. All the city and ward officers elected by the people



in April shall hold their respective offices until others are chosen and qualified in their stead.

Which amendment was adopted, and the bill ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Brown, of No. 1, the Senate adjourned to 2 o'clock this p. m.

#### AFTERNOON.

The following bills and joint resolution were read a third time, and passed :

An act relating to the salaries of the judge and register of probate for the county of Merrimack.

An act to establish the city of Keene.

A joint resolution appropriating \$800 as salary for the chaplain of the state prison.

Mr. Foster, of No. 3, from the Committee on Railroads, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act relating to the Portsmouth & Dover Railroad," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, from the Committee on Roads, Bridges, and Canals, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to incorporate the Saco and Swift River Turnpike Company," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, from the joint Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had carefully examined, and found correctly engrossed, the following entitled bills and joint resolutions :

An act in relation to the funding of the floating debt, and for providing for a temporary loan.

Joint resolution providing for a survey of the boundary line between Maine and New Hampshire.

An act relating to districts numbered 2 and 7, in the town of Jaffrey.

An act in relation to the service of writs or other process upon manufacturing corporations.

An act to incorporate the Rochester Gas-Light Company.



An act to sever a section of land from the town of Lyndeboro,' and annex the same to the town of Milford.

An act to incorporate the Mount Washington Lodge of Free Masons.

An act to authorize the Portsmouth, Great Falls & Conway Railroad to connect with the Portsmouth & Dover Railroad.

An act to protect the eggs and young of certain birds.

An act in amendment of an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Pittsfield Aqueduct Company."

An act relating to the trial of causes.

An act to annex certain territory to the town of Bethlehem.

An act to incorporate the Mechanics Hall Association of New London.

An act to incorporate the Ladies' Humane Society of Portsmouth.

An act in relation to the public printing.

An act authorizing the city of Nashua to construct water-works.

An act to incorporate the Sandy Lake Water Company.

An act in amendment of an act entitled "An act to establish a fire district in Pittsfield," passed June session, 1870.

An act to disannex the homestead of Daniel H. Reed, of Fitzwilliam, from district No. 8, and annex the same to district No. 5 in said Fitzwilliam.

An act to disannex the homestead farm of George W. Davis from district No. 6 in Nottingham, and annex the same to district No. 5 in said town, for school purposes.

An act to fix the capacity of milk-cans.

Which report was accepted.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn, of No. 2, the Senate adjourned.



MONDAY, JUNE 30th, 1873.

The reading of the journal of Friday's proceedings was commenced, and, on motion of Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, the further reading was dispensed with.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives:

*Mr. President:*

The House of Representatives have passed bills with the following titles, in the passage of which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate:

An act to authorize a further reimbursement to the towns of Lebanon and Derry on account of municipal war expenditures.

An act to reorganize the councillor and senatorial districts.

An act directing the destruction of bonds and coupons.

An act to increase the amount of the municipal war loan, and to authorize the treasurer to close the cash balance in his hands into the revenue account.

An act in amendment of section thirteen of chapter fifty of the General Statutes, in relation to the taxation of wood, logs, bark, and lumber.

An act to revive an act to incorporate the Kiarsarge Summit Road Company.

An act to incorporate the Conway Land and Lumber Company.

An act in amendment of "An act to authorize the construction of a bridge over Little Harbor river in the county of Rockingham, and to give additional power to the county commissioners in regard to the same," passed July 3, 1872.

An act for the protection of fish.

An act to incorporate the St. Patrick's Benevolent Society in Concord.

An act to incorporate the Marginal Railroad in Portsmouth.

An act to confirm and establish the boundary line between the towns of Mason and Greenville.

An act to disannex John Smith and others from school dis-



trict No. 3 in Meredith, and annex the same to district No. 5 in said town, for school purposes.

An act to enable the Portsmouth Gas Company to extend their wharf further into the Piscataqua river.

An act in relation to the support of certain paupers in the place of their domicile.

An act in amendment of section six of chapter two hundred and forty of the General Statutes, relating to recognizance in criminal cases.

An act to establish the price for the support of insane paupers at the asylum for the insane.

An act in amendment of section one of chapter sixty-five of the General Statutes, in relation to the discontinuance of highways.

An act in addition to and in amendment of "An act in relation to the schools in the city of Portsmouth."

An act to enable the Mount Washington Hotel Company to fund its debt.

An act in amendment of an act entitled "An act to incorporate a number of the inhabitants of Milford and other towns adjacent, in the county of Hillsborough, into a religious society by the name of the First Baptist Society in Milford."

An act in amendment of section three of chapter one hundred and seventy-two of the General Statutes, in relation to the place of holding the probate courts in the county of Belknap.

An act in addition to and in amendment of chapter five of the pamphlet laws of 1870, relating to sewerage.

An act in amendment of "An act to incorporate the Windsor and Forest Line Railroad."

An act to revive the charter of the Kearsarge Savings Bank, passed July 6, 1867.

An act in amendment of "An act to incorporate the Hedding Camp Meeting Association of the Methodist Episcopal Church," passed June session, 1863.

An act relating to the auditing and allowance of sheriff's accounts.

An act in amendment of an act entitled "An act to establish a new proportion for the assessment of public taxes."



An act in amendment of chapter one, section seventy, of the pamphlet laws of 1868, relating to the salary of the warden of the state prison.

An act in amendment of chapter fifty-two of the pamphlet laws, passed June session, 1869, entitled "An act in relation to the preservation of certain birds."

The House of Representatives have passed the following resolution, in the passage of which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate:

*Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Honorable Senate concurring,* That the present session of the legislature be brought to a close on Wednesday, the second day of July.

They have also appointed Messrs. Towne of Milford, Brown of Hampton Falls, Gilman of Gilmanton, Bacon of Dalton, Carpenter of Hanover, a committee on the part of the House, with such as the Senate may join, to notify the secretary of state, state treasurer, state printer, and commissary-general of their election, and receive the bonds required by law.

And the question being stated,

Will the Senate concur?

It was decided in the affirmative, and the Senate joined Messrs. Abbott, of No. 9, and Parker, of No. 12.

The following bills were read twice, and referred as follows:  
*To the Committee on the Judiciary:*

An act in amendment of section one of chapter sixty-five of the General Statutes, in relation to the discontinuance of highways.

An act to reorganize the councillor and senatorial districts.

An act in amendment of section three of chapter one hundred and seventy-two of the General Statutes, in relation to the place of holding the probate court for the county of Belknap.

An act in amendment of and in addition to chapter five of the pamphlet laws of 1870, relating to sewerage.

An act in amendment of section thirteen of chapter fifty of the General Statutes, in relation to the taxation of wood, bark, logs, and lumber.



An act relating to the auditing and allowance of sheriffs' accounts.

An act in amendment of chapter thirty-two of the pamphlet laws of 1869, entitled "An act in relation to the preservation of certain birds."

An act in amendment of section six of chapter two hundred and forty of the General Statutes, relating to recognizance in criminal cases.

An act to enable the Mount Washington Hotel Company to fund its debt.

*To the Committee on Incorporations:*

An act in amendment of an act entitled "An act to incorporate a number of the inhabitants of Milford and other towns adjacent, in the county of Hillsborough, into a religious society by the name of the First Baptist Society of Milford."

An act to incorporate the Conway Land and Lumber Company.

An act to revive "An act to incorporate the Kiarsarge Summit Road Company."

An act in amendment of "An act to incorporate the Hedding Camp Meeting Association of the Methodist Episcopal Church," passed June session, 1863.

An act to incorporate the St. Patrick's Benevolent Society in Concord.

An act to enable the Portsmouth Gas Company to extend their wharf further into Piscataqua river.

*To the Committee on Finance:*

An act to increase the amount of the municipal war loan, and to authorize the treasurer to close the cash balance in his hands into the revenue account.

An act directing the destruction of bonds and coupons.

An act to authorize a further reimbursement to the towns of Lebanon and Derry on account of municipal war expenditures.

An act in amendment of an act entitled "An act to establish a new apportionment for the assessment of public taxes," approved July 4, 1872.



*To the Committee on State Institutions:*

An act in amendment of chapter one, section seventy, of the pamphlet laws of 1868, relating to the salary of the warden of the state prison.

An act to establish the price for the support of insane paupers at the asylum for the insane.

*To the Committee on Railroads:*

An act in amendment of "An act to incorporate the Windsor and Forest Line Railroad."

An act to incorporate the Marginal Railroad in Portsmouth.

*To the Committee on Education:*

An act to disannex John Smith and others from school district No. 3 in Meredith, and annex the same to district No. 5 in said town, for school purposes.

An act in addition to and in amendment of "An act in relation to the schools in the city of Portsmouth," approved July 7, 1866.

*To the Committee on Towns:*

An act to confirm and establish the boundary line between the towns of Mason and Greenville.

An act in relation to the support of certain paupers in the place of their domicile.

*To the Committee on Banks:*

An act to revive the charter of the Kearsarge Savings Bank, passed July 6, 1867.

*To the Committee on Agriculture and Manufactures:*

An act for the protection of fish.

*To the Committee on Roads, Bridges, and Canals:*

An act in amendment of "An act to authorize the construction of a bridge over Little Harbor river in the county of Rockingham, and to give additional power to the county commissioners in regard to the same," passed July 8, 1872.

The following bills were introduced under a suspension of the rules, read twice, and referred as follows:

*To the Committee on the Judiciary:*

An act to place the inmates of insane asylums under the protection of the laws.



*To the Committee on Elections :*

An act authorizing the town of Dummer to elect a representative.

On motion of Mr. Parker, of No. 12, the Senate adjourned.

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TUESDAY, JULY 1st, 1873.

The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

(Mr. Gove, of No. 8, in the chair.)

Mr. Gove, of No. 8, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bills entitled "An act relating to the auditing and allowance of sheriffs' accounts," and "An act in amendment of chapter fifty-two of the pamphlet laws, passed June session, 1869, entitled 'An act in relation to the preservation of certain birds,'" reported the same without amendment; and the bills were ordered to a third reading.

The same gentleman, from the Committee on Education, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in addition to and in amendment of 'An act in relation to the schools in the city of Portsmouth,' approved July 7, 1866," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to disannex John Smith and others from school district No. 3 in Meredith, and annex the same to district No. 5 in said town, for school purposes," reported the same without amendment; which report was accepted.

On motion of Mr. Hatch, of No. 6, the bill was laid upon the table.

On motion of Mr. Gove, of No. 8, the bill was taken from the table, and recommitted.

Mr. Parker, of No. 12, from the Committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the bills entitled "An act to incorporate the St. Patrick's Benevolent Society in Concord," "An act to enable the Portsmouth Gas Company to extend their



wharf further into the Piscataqua river," and "An act in amendment of 'An act to incorporate a number of the inhabitants of Milford and other towns adjacent, in the county of Hillsborough, into a religious society by the name of the First Baptist Society in Milford,'" reported the same without amendment; and the bills were ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Burns, of No. 7, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment of chapter thirty-nine of the pamphlet laws of 1872, in relation to civil suits," reported the same with the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Which resolution was adopted, and the bill indefinitely postponed.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom was referred the bills entitled "An act in amendment of section six of chapter two hundred and forty of the General Statutes, relating to recognizance in criminal cases;" "An act in addition to and in amendment of chapter five of the pamphlet laws of 1870, relating to sewerage;" and "An act in amendment of section three of chapter one hundred and seventy-two of the General Statutes, in relation to the place of holding the probate court in the county of Belknap," reported the same without amendment; and the bills were ordered to a third reading.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to enable the Mount Washington Hotel Company to fund its debt," reported the same with the following amendment:

Insert before the first section the following: Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened.

Which amendment was adopted, and the bill ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, from the Committee on State Institutions, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment of 'An act to authorize the construction of a bridge over Little Harbor river in the county of Rockingham, and to give additional power to the county commissioners in regard to



the same,'” passed July 3, 1872, reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Abbott, of No. 9, from the Committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An act in amendment of ‘An act to incorporate the Hedding Camp Meeting Association of the Methodist Episcopal Church,’” passed June session, 1863; “An act to revive ‘An act to incorporate the Kiarsarge Summit Road Company;” and “An act to incorporate the Conway Land and Lumber Company,” reported the same without amendment; and the bills were ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Foster, of No. 3, from the Committee on Railroads, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An act to incorporate the Marginal Railroad in Portsmouth,” reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Foster, of No. 3, from the Committee on Banks, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An act in amendment of section one, chapter fifteen of the laws of 1870, and in amendment of section one, chapter fifteen of the laws of 1872, relative to the duties and powers of trustees of savings banks,” reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Daniell, of No. 11, from the Committee on Banks, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An act to incorporate the Concord Savings Bank,” reported the same with the following resolution :

*Resolved*, That the same be indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, the bill was laid upon the table.

(The President in the chair.)

Mr. Burns, of No. 7, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An act to reorganize the councillor and senatorial districts,” reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

The following bills were read a third time, and passed :

An act relating to the Portsmouth and Dover Railroad.

An act to incorporate the Saco and Swift River Turnpike Company.



On motion of Mr. Abbott, of No. 9, the rules were suspended, and the following bill read a third time :

An act to reorganize the councillor and senatorial districts.

Upon the question of the passage of the bill, the yeas and nays were demanded by Mr. Gove, of No. 8, with the following result :

Yeas, 9; nays, 3.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, from the Committee on State Institutions, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to establish the price for the support of insane paupers at the asylum for the insane," reported the same with the following resolution :

*Resolved*, That it is inexpedient to legislate upon the subject. Which resolution was adopted.

Upon motion of Mr. Brown, of No. 1, the rules were suspended, and the following bill was read twice, and referred to the Committee on Railroads :

An act additional to "An act to incorporate the Exeter Railway Company."

Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment of section thirteen of chapter fifty of the General Statutes, in relation to the taxation of wood, bark, logs, and lumber," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Gove, of No. 8, from the Committee on Towns, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in relation to the support of certain paupers in the place of their domicile," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Foster, of No. 3, from the Committee on Towns, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to confirm and establish the boundary line between the towns of Mason and Greenville," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Parker, of No. 12, from the joint Committee on En-



grossed Bills, reported that they had carefully examined, and found correctly engrossed, the following entitled bills and joint resolutions :

An act in addition to the "Act to incorporate St. Paul's School."

An act to incorporate the Wilmot and Kearsarge Road Company.

An act relating to the salaries of the judge and register of probate for the county of Merrimack.

An act relating to suits in replevin.

Joint resolution relating to the support of indigent deaf, dumb, and blind persons, by the state.

An act to incorporate the Sawyer Woollen Mills.

An act to facilitate the decisions of causes at the law term.

An act to provide for the assessment and collection of a state tax.

An act in amendment of chapter two hundred and twenty-six of the General Statutes, in relation to replevin.

Joint resolution authorizing the governor to pay the indebtedness of the state to the asylums at Hartford and Boston.

A joint resolution appropriating \$800 as salary for the chaplain of the state prison.

Joint resolution providing for the governor's contingent fund, and clerical expenses of the treasury department.

An act to legalize certain doings of school district No. 3 in Somersworth.

An act in amendment of section nine, chapter one hundred and seventy-two of the General Statutes, in relation to the times and places of holding probate courts for the county of Grafton.

An act in amendment of the charter of the city of Manchester.

An act to ratify and confirm the doings of the Lebanon Centre Village fire precinct.

An act authorizing and empowering the town of Clarksville to ratify and confirm the tax of said town for the year 1871.

An act to disannex certain tracts of land owned by Charles



E. Moses and others from school district No. 7 in Columbia, and annex the same to school district No. 8 in Colebrook, for school purposes.

An act to change the name of the Merrimack Normal Institute.

Which report was accepted.

On motion of Mr. Brown, of No. 1, the Senate adjourned.

#### AFTERNOON.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives:

*Mr. President:*

The House of Representatives have passed bills and joint resolutions with the following titles, in the passage of which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate:

An act in amendment of chapter one hundred and eight of the General Statutes, in relation to pedlers and transient traders.

An act to enable the town of Rollinsford to pay a bounty to certain volunteers.

Joint resolution relating to repairs on the interior of the state house, and in state house yard.

Joint resolution in favor of Edson C. Eastman, agent.

Joint resolution relative to the appropriation of money for the Franconia Notch road in Lincoln.

Joint resolution in favor of the town of Salem.

Joint resolution in favor of the Prisoners' Aid Society.

An act requiring public offices to be kept open during certain hours of each week day.

Joint resolution relating to the salary of the deputy warden of the state prison.

The House have voted to concur with the Honorable Senate in the amendments to the House bills entitled—

An act in amendment of sections four and five of chapter three of the laws passed June session, A. D. 1872, entitled "An act to regulate the sale of commercial fertilizers."

An act in addition to the "Act to incorporate St. Paul's School."



The House concur with the Honorable Senate in the passage of the bills entitled—

An act in amendment of section two, chapter four of the pamphlet laws of 1869, relating to savings banks.

An act to incorporate the Wilton Company.

The bill entitled “An act to incorporate the Concord Savings Bank” was taken from the table; and the question being upon the indefinite postponement of the bill, it was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, demanded the yeas and nays; and pending the call, on motion of Mr. Burns, of No. 7, the bill was laid upon the table.

The following bills and joint resolutions were read twice, and referred as follows:

*To the Committee on the Judiciary:*

An act in amendment of chapter one hundred and eight of the General Statutes, in relation to peddlers and transient traders.

An act requiring public offices to be kept open during certain hours of each week day.

*To the Committee on Claims:*

A joint resolution in favor of Edson C. Eastman, agent.

*To the Committee on Roads, Bridges, and Canals:*

A joint resolution relative to the appropriation of money for the Franconia Notch road in Lincoln.

*To the Committee on State House and State House Yard:*

A joint resolution relating to repairs on the interior of the state house, and in state house yard.

*To the Committee on State Institutions:*

A joint resolution in favor of the Prisoners’ Aid Society.

*To the Committee on Military Affairs:*

An act to enable the town of Rollinsford to pay a bounty to certain volunteers.

A joint resolution in favor of the town of Salem.

Mr. Gove, of No. 8, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An act to place the inmates of insane asylums under the protection of the laws,”



reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Burns, of No. 7, the rules were suspended, and the bill read a third time, and passed.

Mr. Burns, of No. 7, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to provide for the storage, sale, and inspection of petroleum and its products," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Hatch, of No. 6, from the Committee on Elections, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act authorizing the town of Dummer to elect a representative," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Gove, of No. 8, from the Committee on Education, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment of an act passed July 9, 1866, entitled 'An act ratifying the union of certain school districts in the town of Weare,'" reported the same with the following amendment:

Strike out all of section two in the bill, and in place of the words "section three," insert the words section two, in the next section.

Which amendment was adopted, and the bill ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Parker, of No. 12, from the Committee on Education, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to disannex John Smith and others from school district No. 3 in Meredith, and annex the same to district No. 5 in said town, for school purposes," reported the same with the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That the same be indefinitely postponed.

Which resolution was adopted, and the bill indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Brown, of No. 1, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to authorize a further reimbursement to the towns of Lebanon and Derry on account of municipal war expenditures," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.



The following resolution was received from the House of Representatives:

*Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Honorable Senate concurring,* That, in the opinion of the legislature, the salary of the deputy warden of the state prison should be increased so that he may receive one thousand dollars in full compensation for all services rendered by him in said office.

And the question being stated,

Will the Senate concur?

It was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, from the Committee on Towns, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in relation to the support of certain paupers in the place of their domicile," reported the same with the following amendment:

Amend by inserting before the word "paupers" in the fourth line of section one, the word county; also, by inserting after the word "the" in the ninth line of said section, the words commissioners and the.

Which amendment was adopted, and the bill ordered to a third reading.

(Mr. Burns, of No. 7, in the chair.)

Mr. Parker, of No. 12, from the Committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to regulate the issuing of certificates of shares in the capital stock of gas companies, and for other purposes," reported the same in a new draft; which report was accepted, and the bill read twice, and ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the bills entitled "An act directing the destruction of bonds and coupons," and "An act in amendment of an act entitled 'An act to establish a new proportion for the assessment of public taxes,' approved July 4, 1872," reported the same without amendment; and the bills were ordered to a third reading.

The same gentleman, from the Committee on State Institutions, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment of chapter one, section seventy, of the pamphlet laws of



1868, relating to the salary of the warden of the state prison," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

The following bills were read a third time, and passed:

An act in addition to and in amendment of "An act in relation to the schools in the city of Portsmouth."

An act relating to the auditing and allowance of sheriffs' accounts.

An act to revive "An act to incorporate the Kiarsarge Summit Road Company."

An act to incorporate the Conway Land and Lumber Company.

An act in amendment of "An act to authorize the construction of a bridge over Little Harbor river in the county of Rockingham, and to give additional power to the county commissioners in regard to the same," passed July 3, 1872.

An act in amendment of an act entitled "An act to incorporate a number of the inhabitants of Milford and other towns adjacent, in the county of Hillsborough, into a religious society by the name of the First Baptist Society in Milford."

An act to enable the Mount Washington Hotel Company to fund its debt.

An act in amendment of section thirteen of chapter fifty of the General Statutes, in relation to the taxation of wood, logs, bark, and lumber.

An act to confirm and establish the boundary line between the towns of Mason and Greenville.

An act in amendment of section six of chapter two hundred and forty of the General Statutes, relating to recognizance in criminal cases.

An act to enable the Portsmouth Gas Company to extend their wharf further into the Piscataqua river.

An act to incorporate the St. Patrick's Benevolent Society in Concord.

An act in amendment of chapter fifty-two of the pamphlet laws, passed June session, 1869, entitled "An act in relation to the preservation of certain birds."



An act in amendment of section three of chapter one hundred and seventy-two of the General Statutes, in relation to the place of holding the probate courts in the county of Belknap.

An act in addition to and in amendment of chapter five of the pamphlet laws of 1870, relating to sewerage.

An act in amendment of "An act to incorporate the Hedding Camp Meeting Association of the Methodist Episcopal Church," passed June session, 1863.

An act in amendment of section one of chapter fifteen of the laws of 1870, and in amendment of section one of chapter fifteen of the laws of 1872, relative to the duties and powers of trustees of Savings Banks.

An act to incorporate the Marginal Railroad in Portsmouth.

Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, from the Joint Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had carefully examined, and found correctly engrossed, the following entitled bills and joint resolutions:

An act to reorganize the councillor and senatorial districts.

An act in amendment of section two, chapter four of the pamphlet laws of 1869, relating to savings banks.

An act to incorporate the People's Savings Bank.

An act to incorporate The Bar Association of the State of New Hampshire.

An act relating to the Portsmouth and Dover Railroad.

An act in amendment of sections four and five of chapter three of laws passed June session, A. D. 1872, entitled "An act to regulate the sale of commercial fertilizers."

An act to incorporate the Wilton Company.

Which report was accepted.

(The President in the chair.)

Mr. Brown, of No. 1, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to increase the amount of the municipal war loan, and to authorize the treasurer to close the cash balance in his hands into the revenue account," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Abbott, of No. 9, the Senate adjourned.



WEDNESDAY, JULY 2d, 1873.

The reading of the journal was commenced, and, on motion of Mr. Daniell, of No. 11, the rules were suspended, and the further reading of the journal was dispensed with.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives:

*Mr. President:*

The House of Representatives have passed bills with the following titles, in the passage of which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate:

An act to annex a portion of Meredith to Centre Harbor.

An act legalizing the taxes assessed in the town of Harrisville in 1871.

They have also concurred in the passage of the following bill sent down from the Honorable Senate:

An act supplementary to and in amendment of chapter eighty-eight of the laws passed June session, 1872, entitled "An act in amendment of the charter of the city of Nashua."

The following bills were read twice, and referred as follows:

*To the Committee on Towns:*

An act to annex a portion of Meredith to Centre Harbor.

*To the Committee on the Judiciary:*

An act legalizing the taxes assessed in the town of Harrisville in 1871.

Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, from the Committee on State Institutions, to whom was referred the joint resolution in favor of the Prisoners' Aid Society, reported the same without amendment; and the resolution was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Daniell, of No. 11, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the joint resolution in favor of the town of Salem, reported the same without amendment; and the resolution was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Brown, of No. 1, from the Committee on Railroads, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment of the charter of the Sugar River Railroad," reported the same with the following resolution:



*Resolved*, That its consideration be postponed until the next session of the legislature.

Which resolution was adopted.

Mr. Hatch, of No. 6, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to enable the town of Rollinsford to pay a bounty to certain volunteers," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Sanborn, of No. 2, from the Committee on State House and State House Yard, to whom was referred the joint resolution relating to repairs on the interior of the state house, and in state house yard, reported the same without amendment; and the resolution was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Parker, of No. 12, from the Committee on Roads, Bridges, and Canals, to whom was referred the joint resolution relative to the appropriation of money for the Franconia Notch road in Lincoln, reported the same with the following amendment:

Insert after "of" in the first line of section one, the word four in the place of the word "three."

Which amendment was adopted, and the resolution ordered to third reading.

Mr. Burns, of No. 7, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act requiring public offices to be kept open during certain hours of each week day," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Burns, of No. 7, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in relation to the government of railroad trains," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, from the Committee on Towns, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to annex a portion of Meredith to Centre Harbor," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Gove, of No. 8, the rules were suspended, and the bill read a third time, and passed.

Mr. Burns, of No. 7, from the Committee on the Judiciary,



to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act legalizing all the taxes assessed in the town of Harrisville in 1871," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment of chapter one hundred and eight of the General Statutes, in relation to pedlers and transient traders," reported the same with the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That the same be indefinitely postponed.

Which resolution was adopted, and the bill indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Mr. Burns, of No. 7, the following bill was taken from the table:

An act to incorporate the Concord Savings Bank.

And the question being put upon the adoption of the resolution, it was decided in the affirmative, and the bill indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Gove, of No. 8, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the joint resolution in favor of Edson C. Eastman, agent, reported the same without amendment; and the same was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Foster, of No. 3, from the Committee on Railroads, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act additional to 'An act to incorporate the Exeter Railway Company,'" reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Brown, of No. 1, the rules were suspended, and the bill read a third time by its title, and passed.

The following bills were read a third time, and passed:

An act in amendment of an act passed July 9, 1866, entitled "An act ratifying the union of certain school districts in the town of Weare."

An act to regulate the issuing of certificates of shares in the capital stock of corporations, and for other purposes.

An act to increase the amount of the municipal war loan, and to authorize the treasurer to close the cash balance in his hands into the revenue account.



An act to authorize a further reimbursement to the towns of Lebanon and Derry on account of municipal war expenditures.

An act in amendment of an act entitled "An act to establish a new proportion for the assessment of public taxes," approved July 4, 1872.

An act directing the destruction of bonds and coupons.

An act in amendment of chapter one, section seventy, of the pamphlet laws of 1868, relating to the salary of the warden of the state prison.

An act in relation to the support of certain paupers in the place of their domicile.

An act authorizing the town of Dummer to elect a representative.

An act to provide for the storage, sale, and inspection of petroleum and its products.

Mr. Foster, of No. 3, from the Committee on Railroads, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment of 'An act to incorporate the Windsor and Forest Line Railroad,'" reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Abbott, of No. 9, the Senate adjourned.

#### AFTERNOON.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives:

*Mr. President:*

The House of Representatives have passed bills and joint resolutions with the following titles, in the passage of which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate:

Joint resolution appropriating \$400 to repair the highways leading through the town of Dixville.

Joint resolution to appropriate the sum of \$1000 for the repair of highways in the White mountains.

Joint resolution in favor of Pinkham Notch road.

The House have concurred in the passage of the following bills sent down from the Honorable Senate:



An act supplementary to and in amendment of chapter eighty-eight of the laws passed June session, 1872, entitled "An act in amendment of the charter of the city of Nashua."

An act to establish the city of Keene.

The House of Representatives have voted that it was inexpedient to legislate on the following bill sent down from the Senate:

An act to regulate the practice of medicine in certain cases.

Have indefinitely postponed the bill entitled "An act in amendment of chapter two hundred and thirty of the General Statutes, in relation to trustee process."

The following joint resolutions were read twice and referred to the Committee on Roads, Bridges, and Canals:

Joint resolution in favor of the Pinkham Notch road.

Joint resolution appropriating \$400 to repair the highways leading through the town of Dixville.

Joint resolution to appropriate the sum of \$1000 for the repair of highways in the White mountains.

The following bills and joint resolutions were read a third time, and passed:

Joint resolution in favor of Edson C. Eastman, agent.

Joint resolution in favor of Prisoners' Aid Society.

Joint resolution in favor of the town of Salem.

Joint resolution relating to repairs on the interior of the state house, and in state house yard.

Joint resolution relative to the appropriation of money for the Franconia Notch road in Lincoln.

An act in amendment of chapter two hundred and fifty-one of the General Statutes, in relation to offences against game laws.

An act legalizing the taxes assessed in the town of Harrisville in 1871.

An act in relation to the government of railroad trains.

An act in amendment of "An act to incorporate the Windsor and Forest Line Railroad."

An act to enable the town of Rollinsford to pay a bounty to certain volunteers.



(Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, in the chair.)

Mr. Brown, of No. 1, from the Committee on Agriculture and Manufactures, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment of chapter two hundred and fifty-one of the General Statutes, in relation to offences against the game laws," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Burns, of No. 7, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to enable the town of Chichester to raise a fund for the support of a high school," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Abbott, of No. 9, from the Committee on Banks, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to revive the charter of the Kearsarge Savings Bank," passed July 6, 1867, reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Gove, of No. 8, from the Committee on Towns, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to disannex a tract of land from the town of Sullivan and annex the same to the town of Gilsum," reported the same, with the following resolution :

*Resolved*, That the further consideration of the subject be postponed to the next session of the legislature.

Which resolution was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Gove, of No. 8, the rules were suspended, and the following bills read a third time, and passed :

An act to enable the town of Chichester to raise a fund for the support of a high school.

An act to revive the charter of the Kearsarge Savings Bank, passed July 6, 1867.

Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, from the joint Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had carefully examined, and found correctly engrossed, the following entitled bills and joint resolutions :

An act to enable the Mount Washington Hotel Company to fund its debt.



An act to revive "An act to incorporate the Kiarsarge Summit Road Company."

An act to incorporate the Saco and Swift River Turnpike Company.

An act in addition to and in amendment of "An act in relation to the schools in the city of Portsmouth."

An act to enable the Portsmouth Gas Company to extend their wharf further into the Piscataqua river.

An act in addition to and in amendment of chapter five of the pamphlet laws of 1870, relating to sewerage.

An act in amendment of "An act to authorize the construction of a bridge over Little Harbor river in the county of Rockingham, and to give additional power to the county commissioners in regard to the same."

An act to confirm and establish the boundary line between the towns of Mason and Greenville.

An act relating to the auditing and allowance of sheriffs' accounts.

An act to incorporate the Conway Land and Lumber Company.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives:

*Mr. President:*

The House of Representatives have passed bills and joint resolutions with the following titles, in the passage of which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate:

An act in relation to the final report of the state geologist.

Joint resolution in favor of the road between the Crawford house and the easterly line of the town of Carroll.

Joint resolution in favor of Lewis L. Mower.

Joint resolution in relation to the geological and mineral specimens collected for the state house.

Joint resolution in favor of the state library, and Historical Society.

Joint resolution in behalf of the New Hampshire Medical Society.



Joint resolution in regard to the centennial celebration at Philadelphia, commemorative of the centennial anniversary and our national independence.

An act to authorize the Nashua and Rochester Railroad to issue bonds, and for other purposes.

An act in amendment of the charter of the Manchester Print Works.

An act to incorporate the Manchester Print Works and Mills.

An act to amend the charter of the Dover Landing Aqueduct Company.

An act in amendment of chapter two hundred and forty-three of the General Statutes in relation to the arraignment and trial of minors and persons of unsound mind.

An act to reimburse in part to the town of Hollis the expense of volunteers for whom no bounty was received from the state.

An act fixing the time of closing the polls in the city of Portsmouth.

An act for the better protection of fish culture.

An act in amendment of sections ten and fourteen of chapter two hundred and fifty-one of the General Statutes, for the protection of fish in Norcott's pond in Stratford.

An act to repeal chapter twenty-two of the pamphlet laws of 1871, relating to fire insurance companies.

An act in amendment of section nine of chapter one hundred and seventy-two of the General Statutes, in relation to times and places for holding probate courts in the county of Grafton.

An act in amendment of "An act to incorporate the Manchester and Keene Railroad.

An act in amendment of chapter two hundred and forty-seven of the General Statutes, relating to coroners, justices, &c.

An act in amendment of chapter ninety-seven of the General Statutes, in relation to village fire districts.

An act to authorize the payment of certain bounties.

The House of Representatives concur with the Honorable Senate in their amendments to the following entitled bills sent down from the Senate for concurrence :



An act in relation to the support of certain paupers in the place of their domicile.

An act in amendment of an act passed July 9, 1866, entitled "An act ratifying the union of certain school districts in the town of Weare."

The following bills were read twice, and referred as follows:

*To the Committee on the Judiciary:*

An act to authorize the payment of certain bounties.

An act in amendment of chapter two hundred and forty-three of the General Statutes, in relation to the arraignment and trial of minors and persons of unsound mind.

An act in amendment of section nine, chapter one hundred and seventy-two of the General Statutes, in relation to the time of holding probate courts in the county of Grafton.

An act to reimburse in part the town of Hollis the expense of volunteers for whom no bounty was received from the state.

An act to repeal chapter twenty-two of the pamphlet laws of 1871, relating to fire insurance companies.

An act fixing the time of closing the polls in the city of Portsmouth.

An act to amend the charter of the Dover Landing Aqueduct Company.

An act in amendment of chapter two hundred and forty-seven of the General Statutes, relative to coroners, justices, &c.

*To the Committee on Railroads:*

An act in amendment of "An act to incorporate the Manchester and Keene Railroad."

An act to authorize the Nashua and Rochester Railroad to issue bonds, and for other purposes.

*To the Committee on Agriculture and Manufactures:*

A joint resolution relating to the geological and mineralogical specimens collected for the state house.

An act for the better protection of fish culture.

An act in amendment of sections ten and fourteen of chapter two hundred and fifty-one of the General Statutes, for the protection of fish in Norcott's pond in Stratford.



*To the Committee on Education :*

An act in relation to the final report of the state geologist.

*To the Committee on Towns :*

An act in amendment of chapter ninety-seven of the General Statutes, in relation to village fire districts.

*To the Committee on Incorporations :*

An act to incorporate the Manchester Print Works and Mills.

An act in amendment of the charter of the Manchester Print Works.

*To the Committee on Military Affairs :*

Joint resolution in relation to the centennial celebration at Philadelphia, commemorative of the centennial anniversary of our national independence.

*To the Committee on Claims :*

A joint resolution in favor of Lewis L. Mower.

*To the Committee on Finance :*

A joint resolution in favor of the state library and Historical Society.

*To the Committee on Roads, Bridges, and Canals :*

A joint resolution in favor of the road between the Crawford house and the easterly line of the town of Carroll.

Mr. Parker, of No. 12, from the Committee on Roads, Bridges, and Canals, to whom was referred the joint resolution in favor of Pinkham Notch road, reported the same without amendment; and the resolution was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Sanborn, of No. 2, from the Committee on Roads, Bridges, and Canals, to whom was referred the joint resolution in favor of the highway leading through the town of Dixville, reported the same without amendment; and the resolution was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, from the Committee on Roads, Bridges, and Canals, to whom was referred the joint resolution to appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars for the repair of highways in the White mountains, reported the same without amendment; and the resolution was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Parker, of No. 12, from the joint Committee on En-



grossed Bills, reported that they had carefully examined, and found correctly engrossed, the following entitled bills and joint resolutions :

An act in amendment of section thirteen of chapter fifty of the General Statutes, in relation to the taxation of wood, bark, logs, and lumber.

An act to incorporate the St. Patrick's Benevolent Society in Concord.

An act in amendment of section three of chapter one hundred and seventy-two of the General Statutes, in relation to the place of holding the probate court in the county of Belknap.

An act in amendment of an act entitled "An act to incorporate a number of the inhabitants of Milford and other towns adjacent, in the county of Hillsborough, into a religious society by the name of the First Baptist Society in Milford."

An act in amendment of "An act to incorporate the Hedding Camp Meeting Association of the Methodist Episcopal Church," passed June session, 1863.

An act in amendment of section six of chapter two hundred and forty of the General Statutes, relating to recognizance in criminal cases.

An act in amendment of section one of chapter fifteen of the laws of 1870, and in amendment of section one of chapter fifteen of the laws of 1872, relative to the duties and powers of trustees of savings banks.

An act to annex a portion of Meredith to Center Harbor.

An act in amendment of chapter fifty-two of the pamphlet laws, passed June session, 1869, entitled "An act in relation to the preservation of certain birds."

The following bill and joint resolution were read a third time, and passed :

An act requiring public offices to be kept open during certain hours of each week day.

A joint resolution in behalf of the New Hampshire Medical Society.

On motion of Mr. Daniell, of No. 11, the Senate adjourned to 8 o'clock this evening.



## EVENING.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives :

*Mr. President :*

The House of Representatives have passed bills and joint resolutions with the following titles, in the passage of which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate :

An act for the protection of fish in Lakin's pond in Hooksett.

An act in amendment of chapter forty-five of the General Statutes, relating to public cemeteries and parks.

An act to incorporate the Oceanic Hotel Company.

Joint resolution in favor of the Reform School.

Joint resolution in favor of the engrossing clerk for extra clerk hire.

The House of Representatives concur with the Honorable Senate in the passage of the following bill sent down from the Senate :

An act for the better protection of the Keene water-works.

The House of Representatives refuse to concur in the amendment sent down from the Honorable Senate to the joint resolution relative to the appropriation of money for the Franconia Notch road in Lincoln.

The following bills were read twice, and referred as follows :

*To the Committee on Claims :*

A joint resolution in favor of the engrossing clerk.

*To the Committee on State Institutions :*

A joint resolution in favor of the Reform School.

*To the Committee on Towns :*

An act in amendment of chapter forty-five of the General Statutes, relating to public cemeteries and parks.

*To the Committee on Agriculture and Manufactures :*

An act for the protection of fish in Lakin's pond in Hooksett.

*To the Committee on Incorporations :*

An act to incorporate the Oceanic Hotel Company.



Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment of chapter two hundred and forty-seven of the General Statutes, relating to coroners, justices, &c.," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment of chapter two hundred and forty-three of the General Statutes, in relation to the arraignment and trial of minors and persons of unsound mind," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Burns, of No. 7, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the joint resolution in favor of the state library and Historical Society, reported the same without amendment; and the resolution was ordered to a third reading.

The same gentleman, from the Committee on Education, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in relation to the final report of the state geologist," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

The same gentleman, from the Committee on Railroads, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment of 'An act to incorporate the Manchester and Keene Railroad,'" reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

The same gentleman, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to repeal chapter twenty-two of the pamphlet laws of 1871, relating to fire insurance companies," reported the same with the following amendments:

Strike out the word "repealed" in the first section, and substitute the following, to wit: Amended by substituting the word sixty before the word "days," in the first section of the act of which this act is an amendment.

Amend title by substituting the word amend for the word "repeal."

And the amendments were adopted, and the bill ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, from the Committee on the Judiciary,



to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to amend the charter of the Dover Landing Aqueduct Company," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Burns, of No. 7, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act fixing the time of closing the polls in the city of Portsmouth," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

The same gentleman, from the same committee, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to reimburse in part the town of Hollis the expense of volunteers for whom no bounty was received from the state," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment of section nine of chapter one hundred and seventy-two of the General Statutes, in relation to times and places for holding probate courts in the county of Grafton," reported the same with the following amendment:

Amend by striking out the word "second" in the sixth line of the first section of said bill, and inserting in the place thereof the word first; also, amend by striking out the word "second," in the seventh line of the first section of said bill, and inserting in the place thereof the word first.

And the amendment was adopted, and the bill ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Foster, of No. 3, from the Committee on Railroads, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to authorize the Nashua and Rochester Railroad to issue bonds, and for other purposes," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Abbott, of No. 9, from the Committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to incorporate the Manchester Print Works and Mills," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Parker, of No. 12, from the Committee on Incorporations,



tions, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment of the charter of the Manchester Print Works," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Gove, of No. 8, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to authorize the payment of certain bounties," reported the same with the following resolution :

*Resolved*, That the consideration of the bill be referred to the next legislature.

Which resolution was adopted, and the bill so postponed.

Mr. Brown, of No. 1, from the Committee on Agriculture and Manufactures, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act for the better protection of fish culture," reported the same with the following resolution :

*Resolved*, That it is inexpedient to legislate.

Which resolution was adopted.

Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment of chapter forty-five of the General Statutes, relating to public cemeteries and parks," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, from the Committee on Roads, Bridges, and Canals, to whom was referred the joint resolution in favor of the road between the Crawford house and the easterly line of the town of Carroll, reported the same without amendment; and the resolution was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Sanborn, of No. 2, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the joint resolution in favor Lewis L. Mower, reported the same without amendment; and the resolution was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Daniell, of No. 11, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the joint resolution in regard to the centennial celebration at Philadelphia, commemorative of the centennial anniversary of our national independence, reported the same without amendment; and the resolution was ordered to a third reading.



Mr. Brown, of No. 1, from the Committee on Agriculture and Manufactures, to whom was referred the joint resolution in relation to the geological and mineral specimens collected for the state house, reported the same without amendment; and the resolution was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Gove, of No. 8, from the Committee on Towns, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment of chapter ninety-seven of the General Statutes, in relation to village fire districts," reported the same with the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Which resolution was adopted, and the bill indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Parker, of No. 12, from the Committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to incorporate the Oceanic Hotel Company," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Sanborn, of No. 2, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the joint resolution in favor of the engrossing clerk for extra clerk hire, reported the same without amendment; and the resolution was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, from the Committee on State Institutions, to whom was referred the joint resolution in favor of the Reform School, reported the same without amendment; and the resolution was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Brown, of No. 1, from the Committee on Agriculture and Manufactures, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment to sections ten and fourteen of chapter two hundred and fifty-one of the General Statutes, for the protection of fish in Norcott's pond in Stratford," reported the same with the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That it is inexpedient to legislate.

Which report was accepted.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives:

*Mr. President:*

The House of Representatives have passed the following joint resolutions and bill with the following titles, in the pas-



sage of which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate:

Joint resolution relating to the action of Congress in increasing the salaries of its members.

Joint resolution relating to the State Normal School.

An act relating to the distribution of statutes, and other state publications.

Joint resolution in relation to repairs on library at state prison.

The House have passed the Senate bill entitled "An act to repeal the laws for the protection of pickerel in Sullivan county," with the accompanying amendment, in which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate.

The following bills and joint resolutions were read twice, and referred as follows:

*To the Committee on State Institutions:*

A joint resolution in relation to repairs on library at the state prison.

A joint resolution relating to the State Normal School.

A joint resolution relating to the action of Congress in increasing the salaries of its members.

*To the Committee on the Judiciary:*

An act relating to the distribution of statutes, and other state publications.

On motion of Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, the Senate receded from its amendment to the following joint resolution:

Joint resolution relating to the appropriation of money for the Franconia Notch road in Lincoln.

On motion of Mr. Burns, of No. 7, the rules were suspended, and the following bills read a third time, and passed:

An act to authorize the Nashua and Rochester Railroad to issue bonds, and for other purposes.

An act in amendment of the charter of the Manchester Print Works.

An act in relation to the final report of the state geologist.

An act to incorporate the Manchester Print Works and Mills.



An act in amendment of "An act to incorporate the Manchester and Keene Railroad.

An act to reimburse in part to the town of Hollis the expense of volunteers for whom no bounty was received from the state.

An act to amend the charter of the Dover Landing Aqueduct Company.

An act fixing the time of closing the polls in the city of Portsmouth.

An act in amendment of chapter two hundred and forty-seven of the General Statutes, in relation to coroners, justices, &c.

An act in amendment of chapter two hundred and forty-three of the General Statutes, in relation to arraignment and trial of minors and persons of unsound mind.

A joint resolution in favor of Pinkham Notch road.

A joint resolution in favor of state library and Historical Society.

A joint resolution to appropriate \$1,000 for the repair of highways in the White mountains.

A joint resolution appropriating \$400 to repair the highway leading through the town of Dixville.

Mr. Burns, of No. 7, presented the following resolution, which was adopted:

*Resolved*, That the House of Representatives be requested to return to the Senate a bill entitled "An act to regulate the issuing of stock in corporations, and for other purposes."

A message was received from the House of Representatives, declining to return the said bill.

On motion of Mr. Burns, of No. 7, the Senate adjourned to 8½ o'clock Thursday morning.



THURSDAY, JULY 3d, 1873.

The Senate met at 8½ o'clock A. M.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives :

*Mr. President :*

The House of Representatives have passed bills and joint resolutions with the following titles, in the passage of which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate :

An act to amend section twelve of chapter two hundred and seventy-one of the General Statutes, in relation to the salary of the register of probate for Carroll county.

An act in amendment of chapter ninety-nine of the General Statutes, relating to the sale of spirituous liquors.

Joint resolution in favor of B. F. Prescott and others.

Joint resolution in favor of C. H. Long and others.

Joint resolution for compiling a roll of honor of the officers and soldiers who died or were killed in the late rebellion.

Joint resolution in favor of the Republican Press Association.

Joint resolution in favor of the chaplain.

The following bills were introduced under a suspension of the rules, read twice, and referred as follows :

*To the Committee on Claims :*

Joint resolution in favor of the chaplain.

Joint resolution in favor of B. F. Prescott.

Joint resolution in favor of C. H. Long and others.

*To the Committee on Finance :*

Joint resolution for compiling a roll of honor of the officers and soldiers who died or were killed in the late rebellion.

Joint resolution in favor of the Republican Press Association.

*To the Committee on the Judiciary :*

An act in amendment of chapter ninety-nine of the General Statutes, relating to the sale of spirituous liquors.

An act to amend section twelve of chapter two hundred and seventy-one of the General Statutes, in relation to the salary of the register of probate for Carroll county.



Mr. Burns, of No. 7, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act relating to the distribution of statutes and other state publications," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

(Mr. Brown, of No. 1, in the chair.)

Mr. Hitchcock, of No. 10, from the Committee on State Institutions, to whom was referred the joint resolution relating to the State Normal School; also, the joint resolution relating to the action of congress in increasing the salaries of its members, having considered the same, reported the same without amendment, and recommended their passage; and the joint resolutions were ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Daniell, of No. 11, from the Committee on State Institutions, to whom was referred the joint resolution in relation to state prison library, reported the same without amendment; and the joint resolution was ordered to a third reading.

The following bills and joint resolutions were read a third time and passed:

A joint resolution in regard to the centennial celebration at Philadelphia, commemorative of the centennial anniversary of our national independence.

A joint resolution in relation to the geological and mineral specimens collected for the state house.

A joint resolution in favor of the engrossing clerk for extra clerk hire.

A joint resolution in favor of the Reform School.

An act to incorporate the Oceanic Hotel Company.

An act in amendment of chapter forty-five of the General Statutes, relating to public cemeteries and parks.

A joint resolution in favor of Lewis L. Mower.

A joint resolution in favor of the road between the Crawford house and the easterly line of the town of Carroll.

Mr. Brown, of No. 1, from the Committee on Agriculture and Manufactures, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act for the protection of fish in Lakin's pond in Hooksett," having considered the same, reported the same with the following resolution:



*Resolved*, That it is inexpedient to legislate.

Mr. Sanborn, of No. 2, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the joint resolution in favor of the chaplain, reported the same without amendment; and the resolution was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Foster, of No. 3, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the joint resolution in favor of the Republican Press Association, reported the same without amendment; and the resolution was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment of chapter ninety-nine of the General Statutes, relating to the sale of spirituous liquors," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Foster, of No. 3, from the Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the joint resolution for compiling a roll of honor of the officers and soldiers who died or were killed in the late rebellion, reported the same without amendment; and the resolution was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Burns, of No. 7, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act to amend section twelve of chapter two hundred and seventy-one of the General Statutes, in relation to the salary of the register of probate for Carroll county," reported the same without amendment; and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Sanborn, of No. 2, from the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the joint resolution in favor of B. F. Prescott and others; also, to whom was referred the joint resolution in favor of C. H. Long and others, having considered the same, reported the same without amendment; and the joint resolutions were ordered to a third reading.

The following bills and joint resolutions were read a third time, and passed, under a suspension of the rules:

A joint resolution in favor of B. F. Prescott and others.

An act in amendment of section nine of chapter one hundred and seventy-two of the General Statutes, in relation to the time of holding the probate courts in the county of Grafton.



A joint resolution relating to the action of congress in increasing the salaries of its members.

A joint resolution relating to the State Normal School.

An act in amendment of chapter ninety-nine of the General Statutes, relating to the sale of spirituous liquors.

A joint resolution in relation to repairs on library at the state prison.

An act to amend section twelve of chapter two hundred and seventy-one of the General Statutes, in relation to the salary of the register of probate for Carroll county.

An act to repeal chapter twenty-two of the pamphlet laws of 1871, relating to fire insurance companies.

A joint resolution for compiling a roll of honor of the officers and soldiers who died or were killed in the late rebellion.

An act relating to the distribution of statutes and other state publications.

A joint resolution in favor of C. H. Long and others.

A joint resolution in favor of the Republican Press Association.

A joint resolution in favor of the chaplain.

Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, from the joint Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had carefully examined, and found correctly engrossed, the following entitled bills and joint resolutions :

An act in relation to the government of railroad trains.

An act to enable the town of Rollinsford to pay a bounty to certain volunteers.

Joint resolution in favor of Edson C. Eastman, agent.

Joint resolution relating to repairs on the interior of the state house, and in state house yard.

Joint resolution in favor of Prisoners' Aid Society.

Joint resolution in favor of the town of Salem.

An act in relation to the support of certain paupers in the place of their domicile.

An act in amendment of an act passed July 9, 1866, entitled "An act ratifying the union of certain school districts in the town of Weare."



An act to enable the town of Chichester to raise a fund for the support of a high school.

An act for the better protection of the Keene water-works.

An act to establish the city of Keene.

An act in amendment of an act entitled "An act to establish a new apportionment for the assessment of public taxes," approved July 4, 1872.

An act in amendment of chapter one, section seventy, of the pamphlet laws of 1868, relating to the salary of the warden of the state prison.

An act in amendment of "An act to incorporate the Windsor and Forest Line Railroad."

An act in amendment of chapter two hundred and fifty-one of the General Statutes, in relation to offences against game laws.

An act to authorize a further reimbursement to the towns of Lebanon and Derry on account of municipal war expenditures.

An act legalizing all the taxes assessed in the town of Harrisville in 1871.

An act in amendment of chapter two hundred and forty-seven of the General Statutes, relative to coroners, justices, &c.

An act to incorporate the Marginal Railroad in Portsmouth.

Joint resolution in favor of the state library.

An act requiring public offices to be kept open during certain hours of each week day.

An act to amend the charter of the Dover Landing Aqueduct Company.

An act to revive the charter of the Kearsarge Savings Bank, passed July 6, 1867.

An act in relation to the final report of the state geologist.

Joint resolution in behalf of the New Hampshire Medical Society.

Joint resolution relative to the appropriation of money for the Franconia Notch road in Lincoln.

Joint resolution appropriating \$400 to repair the highways leading through the town of Dixville.



Joint resolution to appropriate the sum of \$1000 for the repair of highways in the White mountains.

An act in amendment of "An act to incorporate the Manchester and Keene Railroad."

An act to reimburse in part to the town of Hollis the expense of volunteers for whom no bounty was received from the state.

Joint resolution in favor of the Pinkham Notch road.

An act in amendment of chapter two hundred and forty-three of the General Statutes, in relation to arraignment and trial of minors and persons of unsound mind.

An act to incorporate the Manchester Print Works and Mills.

An act fixing the time of closing the polls in the city of Portsmouth.

An act directing the destruction of bonds and coupons.

An act to increase the amount of the municipal war loan, and to authorize the treasurer to close the cash balance in his hands into the revenue account.

An act to authorize the Nashua and Rochester Railroad to issue bonds, and for other purposes.

An act to provide for the storage, sale, and inspection of petroleum and its products.

Which report was accepted.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives:

*Mr. President:*

The House of Representatives have postponed to the next legislature the bill sent down from the Senate entitled,—

An act additional to "An act to incorporate the Exeter Railway Company."

They have indefinitely postponed the following bills sent down from the Senate:

An act in amendment of chapter one, section twenty-three, of the pamphlet laws, passed at the June session, 1868.

An act to regulate the issuing of certificates of shares in the capital stock of corporations, and for other purposes.



The House of Representatives have passed bills and joint resolutions with the following titles, in the passage of which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate:

An act to punish bribery at elections.

Joint resolution tendering a vote of thanks to the Hon. Benj. F. Prescott, secretary of state.

(Mr. Gove, of No. 8, in the chair.)

The following resolution was presented by Mr. Daniell, of No. 11, and adopted:

*Resolved*, That the thanks of the Senate be tendered to Hon. David A. Warde, for the faithful, impartial, and dignified manner in which he has presided over the deliberations of this body during the present session.

The President having resumed the chair, addressed the Senate as follows:

SENATORS: I thank you sincerely for this expression of kindness and friendship. It is gratifying in the extreme to know, as you have expressed in the resolution just passed, that my efforts to discharge the duties of the chair in a fair and impartial manner have been successful to that extent which meets your approval. Our intercourse here has been very pleasant; and I trust the acquaintance and friendship here formed may not end with the close of this session of the legislature, but that, in future years, we shall remember with pleasant recollections the friendly relations here formed.

Mr. Burns, of No. 7, presented the following resolution, which was adopted:

*Resolved*, That the thanks of the Senate be presented to Luther S. Morrill, clerk of the Senate, and to Tyler Westgate, assistant clerk, and to Zelotus Stevens, doorkeeper, for the courteous, faithful, and efficient manner in which they have discharged their duties during the present session.

The following joint resolution was read and passed:

A joint resolution tendering a vote of thanks to Hon. Benjamin F. Prescott, secretary of state.

Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An act in amendment



of section one of chapter sixty-five of the General Statutes, in relation to the discontinuance of highways, reported the same with the following resolution :

*Resolved*, That the bill be referred to the next session of the legislature.

Which resolution was adopted.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives :

*Mr. President :*

The House of Representatives have appointed Messrs. Blake of Fitzwilliam, Sulloway of Manchester, Poor of Derry, Murphy of Dover, Sanborn of Belmont, Graves of Moultonborough, Blodgett of Franklin, Towle of Washington, Cook of Camp-ton, and Dodge of Wakefield, a committee on the part of the House, with such as the Senate may join, to wait upon His Excellency the Governor, and inform him that the legislature have completed the business of the session, and are ready to receive any communication that he may be pleased to make.

And the question being stated,

Will the Senate concur ?

It was decided in the affirmative ; and the Senate joined Messrs. Wallace and Gove.

On motion of Mr. Gove, of No. 8, the Senate adjourned to 2 o'clock this P. M.

On reassembling—

The following message was received from the House of Representatives :

*Mr. President :*

The House of Representatives have passed the following resolution, in which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate :

Joint resolution to take the opinion of the supreme court upon the question whether chapter thirty-three of the pamphlet laws of 1872 is a law.

The following joint resolutions were read a third time, and passed :

A joint resolution to take the opinion of the supreme judicial



court whether chapter thirty-three of the pamphlet laws of 1872 is a law.

Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, from the joint Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that they had carefully examined, and found correctly engrossed, the following entitled bills and joint resolutions :

An act authorizing the town of Dummer to elect a representative.

A joint resolution in relation to repairs on library at state prison.

An act to incorporate the Oceanic Hotel Company.

An act to amend section twelve, chapter two hundred and seventy-one of the General Statutes, in relation to salary of the register of probate for Carroll county.

A joint resolution in favor of Republican Press Association.

A joint resolution in favor of the road between the Crawford house and the easterly line of the town of Carroll.

A joint resolution in favor of Lewis L. Mower.

A joint resolution relating to geological and mineralogical specimens collected for state house.

An act in amendment of section nine, chapter one hundred and seventy-two of the General Statutes, in relation to the time of holding probate courts in the county of Grafton.

A joint resolution in favor of the chaplain.

A joint resolution in favor of the Reform School.

A joint resolution in favor of the engrossing clerk.

An act in relation to the distribution of statutes, and other state publications.

A joint resolution relating to action of congress in increasing salaries of members.

A joint resolution in favor of B. F. Prescott and others.

A joint resolution in regard to the centennial celebration at Philadelphia.

An act in amendment of chapter ninety-nine of the General Statutes, relating to sale of spirituous liquors.



A joint resolution for compiling a roll of honor of the officers and soldiers who died or were killed in the late rebellion.

An act in amendment of chapter forty-five of the General Statutes, relating to public cemeteries and parks.

A joint resolution relating to State Normal School.

A joint resolution tendering a vote of thanks to Benj. F. Prescott.

A joint resolution in favor of C. H. Long and others.

A joint resolution relating to taking the opinion of the supreme court upon the question whether chapter thirty-three of the pamphlet laws of 1872, relating to persons and property liable to taxation, is a law of the state.

Which report was accepted.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives:

*Mr. President:*

The House of Representatives have voted that it was inexpedient to legislate on the following bill:

An act in amendment of chapter one hundred and ninety-seven of the General Statutes, in relation to the powers and duties of constables.

They have indefinitely postponed the bill sent down from the Honorable Senate, entitled—

An act in amendment of chapter two hundred and thirty of the General Statutes, in relation to trustee process.

Mr. Wallace, of No. 5, from the joint select committee appointed to wait upon His Excellency the Governor and inform him that the legislature have completed the business of the session, and are ready to receive any communication that he may be pleased to make, reported that they had attended to the duty assigned them, and that the governor would send a communication to the legislature immediately.

The following message was received from His Excellency the Governor, by the Honorable Secretary of State:



THURSDAY, JULY 3, 1873.

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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,  
CONCORD, July 3, 1873.

*To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives:*

Having signed all the acts and resolutions that have been presented to me for my approval and signature, and having been informed by a joint committee of the legislature that you have finished the business before you and are ready to be adjourned, I do, by authority vested in me, hereby adjourn the legislature to the last Wednesday of May next.

EZEKIEL A. STRAW,  
*Governor.*

Thereupon the President declared the Senate adjourned to the last Wednesday of May next.

LUTHER S. MORRILL,  
*Clerk.*

A true copy. Attest:

LUTHER S. MORRILL,  
*Clerk of the Senate.*



